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COMMENT OF

Bevan's Future

THE British Labour Party "disowned" Aneurin Bevan for challenge to Mr Attlee fence debate in the House of Commons a fortnight ago. But the act of disowning or was not the most drastic action that could have been taken. Perhaps the most damning would have been the recommendation for his expulsion by the Labour Party National Executive. It would then have been difficult for the Executive to have done otherwise than to comply.

The stand taken by the Shadow Cabinet rather suggested that they wanted to take only nominal (yet apparently severe) disciplinary measures against the rebel leader by excluding him from the Labour ranks for a period of months, as it did in 1939 when he openly urged a combined Socialist-Communist front against Fascism. Undoubtedly, under the influence of Mr Attlee, the right-wing Party leaders realised the possible consequences of recommending any extreme action. Mr. Bevan's fate will now be decided by the National Executive. The next question therefore is: Will Mr Beynn be expelled?

ANY attemts to eradicate chi on April 1. Bevanism from the Labour Party could possibly lead to the creation not of a splinter group -- that already exists |-- but the disastrous division of Labour into two imagine that Mr Bevan would forsake politics merely because of his expulsion. fore tend to militate against Australia; any move to cleanse the party ranks of the dissidents.

snake, not kill it." Political May. considerations here dictate adopt steamroller tactics.

is paramount in the present-day party system that obedience must virtually absolute for the sake of survival. Only a small degree of flexibility is permissible. This has come prerequisite to stability.

The idea that a party is bound together by an extremely high sense of individual loyalty and a very large degree of unanimous agreement can be accepted only where the principle of strict obedience within the party is itself accepted. "regimentation" of major in the fray.-France-Presse, party groups is recognised as an essential feature of Parliamentary systems the world over. It is the foundation of political unity and solidity. In a Democracy, Are the degree of regimentation problem at the present.

Certainly it may be argued Mr Bovan far too late. And in the 20-page Saturday edition, filled with the latest and condition to the research station the Party is being shaken best features available—bright and light reading for your very severely by the stresses week-end leisure hours. that have divided It again and again in recent months. Even though Mr Bevan may be disowned or ostracised if he is allowed to remain within the party, at best the right-wing can claim that a major crisis has been event, the breach would con- coming, three full pages of home-side and local pictures, week-end influence which prevented him womansense, local and overseas specia reviews: all these are in tinue unhealed and further tomorrow's China Mail. serious stresses could be

ew Labour Threat Crisis

42 Slain In Ambush

Djakarta, Mar. 17. Forty policemen and two women were killed in the South Celebes on Tuesday last when their truck was ambushed by some 100 armed men, it was stated here today.

Two other women were wounded, it was added. The police truck was attacked at close range while on its way from Parepare to Enrekang about 100 miles north of Macassar, it was reported. - France-

Larry Adler Coming To Hongkong

Paris, Mar. 17. virtuoso Larry Adler left here today for his London headquarters to pick up 150 harmonicas which he will take with him on a threemonth concert tour of the Far East beginning in Kara-

Mr Adler said he anticipated a serious excess sir baggage problem because of the long tour in various climates which required a large stock of spare instruments.

said. "The tropics are distinct murder on harmonicus — the for it is hard to wood swells, glue melts, and metal rusts—and I calculate I may wear out 150 of them in three months in the Far East." From Karachi, Mr Adler will And he knows that many of fly to India to give recitals in local constituency Bombay, Calcutta, and New Labour parties are in sym- Delhi. His tour will also inpathy with him. These clude Tokyo, Singapore, Hongconsiderations would there kong, Mantla, New Zealand, and

In Tokyo, where he appeared three years ago, after a tour of the Korean war front, he will right-wing will "scotch the NBC Symplemy Orchestra) in

> His repertoire will include the party machine Bach, Enesco, Debussy, Albeniz, Gershwin, and his own compositions from the film, "Genevieve.". --- Frunce-Presse.

INCIDENT AT CONSULATE

San Paolo, Mar. 17. Ten members of the Japanese to be accepted in the "Cherry Tree Sulcide Club" evolution of the modern were in gaol here today as a reparty system as an essential suit of smashing furniture and typewriters yesterday in the Japanese Consulate.

About 20 members of this fanatical sect called on the consul and asked that 260 of their members should be granted facilities to return to Japan. When the consul said this was impossible, trouble started which

was only quelled by the arrival of the police. Two members of the consulate stoff were stugged and injured

mothers?

Women A

Here are some other highlights:

· A famous "Barts" psychiatrist debunks faith healing;

Why American servicemen want to be discharged in

. Hitler cracks down on the Cloak and Dagger Squadron.

MR BEVAN'S LIEUTENANTS MAY QUIT

London, Mar. 17.

A fresh crisis threatened the Labour Party tonight with the expectation that some of left-winger Aneurin Bevan's lieutenants on its governing caucus, the National Executive Committee, may resign in protest if he is sacked from the Party.

Parliamentary opinion hardened tonight that the fiery Welshman, who was yesterday excluded from the parliamentary section of the Party by a 141-112 vote for defiance of its rules, will be recom- Churchill's statement to the mended for expulsion next Wednesday when the executive considers his case.

Mr Bevan, though now an independent Socialist MP barred from taking part in the Parlia- on a two-power meeting in a mentary Labour group's activities is still a member American mouth organ of the 6,400,000 strong Labour movement in the Russian note of July 24 suggest-

> If the 57-year-old left winger is thrown out, five of the 28-member executive, who are his lieutenants, will decide whether to resign in protest.

> They have taken no decision ahead of the event but one of the five admitted tonight that if their champion goes the possibility of at least some of the five "walking out" of the executive is "not excluded."

But some parliamentary sources prophesied this action may be forestalled by a move from a section of Labour's "Old Guard" on the executive to extend the proposed expulsion of Mr Beyan to some of his leading adherents-not necessarily had made. all or any of those on the governing committee.-Reuter,

Worked

Washington, Mar. 17.

Mr Robert Menzies, the Australian Prime Minister, a meeting of the heads of govwill present his Cabinet with important recommendagive a concert with the tions about Formosa and a bigger role for Australia in It may thus be found that the Symphony of the Air (former Western Pacific defence strategy when he returns after the All-European Conference." conferences with United States leaders, according to informed sources here.

> immediately with all members details could be divulged, his Cabinet. So he had selected March 20-the next day after his return to Canberra.

Mr Menzies saw Mr Charles Wilson, Scentiary of Defence, today and discussed the military peaceful use of atomic

The Fermess recommendations were a closely guarded secret, but it was learned that they represented a completely new formula to end the Formosa crisis and case the threat of war over the offshore blands.

Plans called for consultations with other nations in addition to Australia and the United

It was understood that both Mr Menzies and Mr John Foster Dulles, entertained great hopes

A source in close touch with for a solution of the Formosa in his letters, Mr Moletov dethe conferences said Mr Menzies crais from this formula. But it clared that there was no reason regarded his Washington talks would require further delicate ic make a two-power meeting as of such importance that he negotiations in private with dependent on the Soviet prothought it necessary to confer other interested parties before AUSTRALIA'S ROLE

Mr Menzies had reached very substantial agreement with the United States leaders on the tactical uses of atomic weapons in the event of open aggression in Asia, it was learned. The United States and Australia statesmen also had agreed that Australia's chief value to a strong ce-operative defence Asia was Australia's physical size and political stability.

Australia, according to the trend of present things would be the prime supply centre and dispersal area in the conduct of an Asian campaign should a global war occur.-Reuter.

Valuable Catch

A female adult coclacenth was little island of Anjouan in the of Madagascar today.

London, Mar. 17.

Scientists will welcome this

In this week's Saturday Mail, Robert Pitman About 60 eggs were removed that the Party has left its sets out to answer these questions'— this is one bold and shout six fact in land disciplinary action against provocative page of reading. And there are many others which has been sent in perfect other problems.—Reuter,

This is the fifth coclacanth caught off Anjouan. - France-

Eden Recovering London, Mar. 17.

Sir Anthony Eden, British Foreign. Secretary, is getting ties to prove it. Cartoonists Glies and Low, Jane Roberts on films current and better from the attack from visiting Turkey this week, but is staying in bed an officia bulletin said today .- Reuter.

Why There Was No Top-Level Meeting

Moscow Blames ' Churchill

Moscow, Mar. 17. Russia tonight accused Sir Winston Churchill of having "himself renounced the proposals he had made" last year for a two-power meeting between Britain and the Soviet Union.

The charge was made by the Ministry of Foreign Affairs, which published seven letters exchanged between the British Prime Minister and the Soviet Foreign Minister, for a possible high level conference.

The Ministry said the letters were being published in connection with Sir Winston House of Commons three days

In that statement he said he had twice communicated with Mr Molotov in July of last year neutral capital, but his suggestion had been superseded by the ing an All-European Conference on collective security,

"NOT EXACT TEXT"

The Soviet statement said Sir Winston Churchili had given "the content of confidential exchange of letters" between himself and Mr Molotov but had not given "the exact text."

The announcement said was clear from the exchanges that Mr Churchill "himself rereunced the proposals which he

"This was done under the pretext that the Soviet Government in its note of July 24, concerning the convening of an All-European Conference on immediately that the release of collective security in Europe, the documents did not speak for 'substituted' the proposal of Mr itself. Churchill in the eyes of the two

"The absence of foundation for this receon is evident from the fact that after the British no further comment." Prime Minister had renounced ernments of Britain and the USSR, the British government also refused to participate in

"NO REASON"

The announcement said that posal for an All-European Con-

It said that the results already achieved at the Geneva conference "should contribute to the regulations of other questions as well."

"From the contents of this correspondence. It is seen that Churchill in his letter of July 27 declined his own proposal of a meeting of the heads of government of Britain and the USSR which he had suggested on July 4", the announcement

"This was done under the excuse that the proposal of the Soviet government of July 24, calling for a general European conference on collection security in Europe allogedly took the place of the /meeting, pro-

posed by Churchill, NO FOUNDATION "The lack of foundation for this is clearly seen from the fact that after the British

"In Mr Molotov's replies of learned today. Are women a wash-out? Is their proper place in the catch as giving them the op- July 31 and August 11, it was any one time, however, is difficult to assess. And this appears to be Labour's portunity to solve many out- clearly pointed out that the posals to call an All-European which were made not in heaven Conference: The success at that but in her office above a Bond time achieved at the Geneva Street too room, only three conference should help in settling "have become unstuck".

CHINESE AS **EUROPEANS**

Johannesburg, Mar.: 17. "Europeans" but only if they have a letter from the authori-

caused in the Union over an books of "Gemesmanship", The incident when a girl was put petition appears in the list of off a rallway bus because she was Chiness -- France Press

Gives Big Order

SIR MILES THOMAS

Why Were The Yalta Secreta Divulged?

STATE DEPT NOT **TALKING**

Washington, Mar. 17. The State Department spokesman today refused to explain why the United States had released the Yalta documents at

ference protested vigorously about arrangements made for the release of the documents and pressed Mr Suydam strongly for an explanation of the timing. In reply, Mr Suydam said:

"I think the action of the Department of State in making the Yalta documents public will have to speak for itself," One correspondent protested

Parrying this and further | London to Gander in Newfoundquestions on the same subject

Mr Suydam said: "I can make making its application to the

REFUSES TO ANSWER number of copies of the docuembassies."

copies released to the press at a carlier introduction of the design. Already the considerable moment's notice last night, when advanced version of the Comet. amount of ground test work and the New York Times had procured a copy from some source, ability of a large world airliner tinued unremittingly since the were the copies which had been designated for confidential distribution to Congressmen.

know whether the State Department would conduct an investigation into the "leak" of the Yalta documents to the press but again Mr Suydam gave the questioners no satisfaction.

He said additional copies which would be made available to Congressmen were now being prepared and would be available in three or four weeks.

"Mrs Marriage" Sued

London, Mar. 17. London's "Mrs Marriage", 40caught for the first time off the Premier's refusal, the British year-old Heather Cox, whose government refused to take part marriage bureau has helped to Comoro archipelago to the north in the All-European Con- turn 5,000 spinsters into brides, is being sued for divorce, it was

Recently, the wrote a book about her work called "Marriage is my business". It was a best seller and her tame spread to France: She opened a French Bureau In Paris.

The tail, (six feet) blonde Chinese people in South matchmaker married Michael Africa may be regarded as Cox, a dermer and landowner in 1042. They have two children.

In his polition, Mr. Cox named as co-respondent Mr Stephen. Great Indignation has been Poster, author of such humorous undefended willia - China Mull

Party Brand New Comet Airliner

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London, Mar. 17.

The De Havilland Aircraft Company today announced their programme for the Comet airliner following statements made by the British government on February 16, and the deliberations which have been proceeding concerning the requirements of BOAC and the world operators.

Sir Miles Thomas has informed the Company that for their main operations of jet airliners, BOAC have decided to order a fleet of 20 of the new Mark 4 Comet aircraft, a development beyond the earlier versions, having an improved type of the Rolls Royce Avon jet engines, a redesigned fuselage, great fuel capacity and other refinements.

sultability.

The engine to be fitted in the Mark 4 Comet shows a nine per cent improvement in specific consumption and a 500-lb in-Correspondents at a press concrease in take-off thrust. The Mark 4 Comet will

> carry 58 first-class passengers on a stage-length of 2,870 miles against a 50 mph head wind. In effect this means that BOAC will be able to fly. to Johannesburg with traffic stops at Calro and Nalrobi. There will be direct services from London to the East, Beirut thence to Karachi thence

to Bungkok, Okinawa and Tokyo, LONDON-NEW YORK On the North Atlantic routs the Mark 4 Comet will carry its full capacity payload from land, with full reserves, thus

London-New York service an economic possibility. The BOAC decision to con-Mr Suydam said a limited centrate on this model is made in the interests of standardisation ments was still available and and for the timing of the Corwould be sent to "interested poration's traffic development and fleet requirements. It also facilitates the De Havilland pro- straightforward projection of the He refused to say whether the gramme because it permits an Comet 3, is well advanced in It makes possible the avail- the flight trials which have con-

sedes that model. The Comet respondent

This is a very fast airliner of | 2, improved in accordance with long range with a universal the knowledge gained in the extensive work that has been done by De Havilland during the past year is now for those medium-stage intercontinental operations for which it is eminently suited, and will be available at an earlier dute than the Mark 4 Comet.

The Royal Air Force has decided to acquire Cornet 2's for the high-speed operations of Transport Command, and there will be a single specification for the RAF and for other purchasers. This will embody in-Tormation gained during and since the recent inquiry. It will be subjected to repeatedly loading tests in the water tank and will, of course, be backed by a full civil certificate of air-

worthiness. WELL ADVANCED The plan now decided upon gives British civil aviation and the De Havilland Company the best possible opportunity in that advanced designs can be offered at attractive dates, yet with na unrivalled background

positive experience.

The Mark 4 Comet being a with jet propulsion at an advan- Comet 3 first flow in July of last tageous date and with a long- | year have enabled the penformance of the Mark 4 to be estab-This version interests carriers, lished, and its aerodynamic and Correspondents demanded to including those who had handling qualities have been ordered the Comet 3. It super- largely proved.-A Special Cor-

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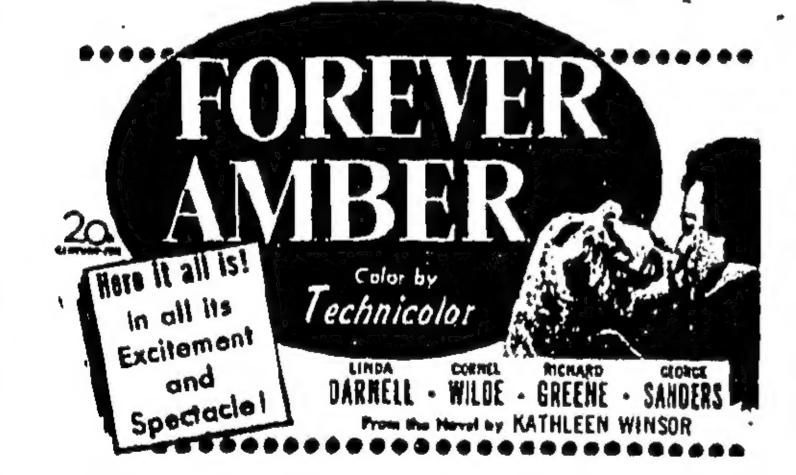
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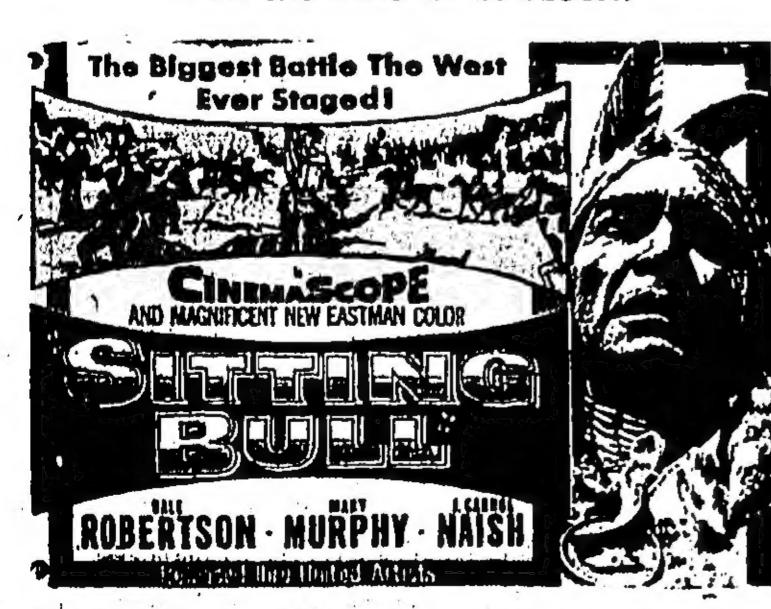
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INGS PRICES H-BOMB DETERRENT

Britain Should Not Pledge Herself To Be Second

London, Mar. 17,

the conference—the idea of

which was put forward by

President Eisenhower,-was

to promote the peaceful use

An extension of the kind pro-

posed by Mr Attlee would hardly be in tune with that object,

of atomic energy.

Lord Salisbury, Government spokesman in the House of Lords, said tonight that if Britain definitely pledged herself not to be the first to use the hydrogen bomb, its deterrent effect would be largely destroyed.

He said: "If our potential enemies could be sure that the weapons would not be used against them and then they use it first, there would be nothing to prevent the vast Soviet Army sweeping across Europe and Asia."

He added: "If we believe this; The main purpose of the dreadful new weapon is a deterrent. I pray that we do nothing to weaken the deterrent force which the weapon

SUPPEME ARGUMENT

It was equally important that Britain should do everything in her power to see the weapons were never used unless it was absolutely necessary. That was the "supreme argument" for Britain's making the bomb herself.

Lord Sallsbury, who is Lord President of the Council and a member of the Cabinet, said he did not think it would be wise to pin too high hopes on the proposal of Mr Clement Attlee. leader of the Labour Party, for a meeting of scientists from both sides of the Iron Curtain to inquire into the consequences of the hydrogen bomb.

Mr. Attice also suggested that the terms of reference of the incenng of international scientists at Geneva in August might be modified to include

Lord Salisbury said salient facts of radiation were already known and were being further studied.

formation.

It might be impossible for other scientists to discuss freely with them the effects of thermoweapons divulging information their nature, which perhaps d was not desirable they should

But he did not want to be entirely negative, Lord Salisbury said the Government was considering whether the terms of reference of the Geneva conference should be extended.

Move To Oust Undesirables From Britain

London, Mar. 17. country urged today that Britain Korea to Afghanistan, struid be able to oust undesirables coming from the Common- emphasized, has been approved wealth and Empire in the same way that foreigners are deported.

passed a resolution affirming the belief in the right of any member of the Commonwealth to come freely to Britain but urged the Government "to consider at the earliest opportunity the problems raised by such immigration."

The issue—largely based on recent floods of immigrants from Union of Conservative Unionist Associations meeting liere. The resolution passed by only a small majority. -China Mail Special.

Journalist Released

Karachi, Mar. 17. A journalist and his brother were released from political detention here today, following a decision by the Sind Chief Court yesterday that their further detention was illegal.

The journalist, Muhammad Akhtar, a sports reporter on the Times of Karachi, and Nuhammati Sarawar, have been detained without trial since last June titider the Security of Pakistan Act.

They were taken into custody during a series of countrywide arrests which the police said were to prevent acts prejudicial to the peace.—China Mali



STASSEN RECOMMENDING

MASSIVE AID PROGRAMME FOR ASIA

Washington, Mar. 17. The Foreign Operations Administration's Administrator, Mr Harold E. Stassen, disclosed today that he is about to recommend a massive aid programme for raising free Asia's productive wealth by 30 per cent during the next eight years, thus making the area independent of further outside

He believed the Communist Mr Stassen told a Press con- by the entire Eisenhower scientists primary object would prence that such a programme Cabinet be to get rather than give in- would take the countries of non-Communist Asia along the road the approval, among others, of of industrialisation at least as the Secretary of the Treasury, rapidly as Red China can be Mr George C. Humphrey, expected to advance in that time United Press. -and without the price of lowered living standards and the suffering that the Communist industrialisation method

assistance.

LOT OF CONVINCING

He conceded that it will probably take a lot of convincing on his part and on the part of others in the Eisenhower Administration to get Congress to enter into so sweeping and long-range a programme.

The first step, Mr Stassen anid, will be to get Congress to approve a significant increase in economic and inflitary aid for free Asia for the fiscal year 1955-56, which commences on June 30.

For that period, he said, the Eisenhower Administration will recommend an appropriation of Representatives of Conserva- \$2,104,500,000 for the Asian ve (Government) Party countries which are situated in branches from all over the an are stretching from South

This figure, Mr Stassan of its own.

Truman's Papers

Kansas City, Mar. 17. Mr Fyke Farmer, a Tennessee Commission is able to take. lawyer, wants to impound the the West Indies—was debated by the Council of the National suit in the Federal Court here, official papers of former Presialleging that the official papers were removed from Washington, that they were public property and that they should be returned to the capital.

> Since leaving the White House, is to threaten to bring a matter There is a wide difference of mentuirs and papers of his Adi-ministration for preservation in the Truman Libfary. — China vote, So for all decisions have Mail Special. been ununimous. It is a special decision to the decision of the dec

POP

This meant that the figure nas proached by an African of the would like to buy a trunk full of gold coins. The price, they

Vienna, Mar. 17.

and Germany. "A deerce putting an end to by Radio Budapest, monitored the police are seeking the here.—France-Precec.

were told, was £1,000. They drew £1,000 in notes and went to meet the African in

a lonely village in the mountains. There the Basuto said that the woman to whom the coins be-The Hungarian Government longed wanted to see the money today announced the Meial end first. They handed over the of hostilities between Hungary £ 1,000 and settled down to wait for the coins.

Bahis—"Miss Brasil" was

named honorary fire chief of

Elmira, N.Y.—an area where

more fire equipment is pro-

section of the world. The

town's Mayor, Mr Strachen, is shown presenting her with the

fire chief's hat—as Gen. Leslie

Groves, a Vice-President and

Director of Remington Rand

Inc. looks on appreciatively.

The occasion was a dinner

celebrating production of the

company's fifteen millionth

One A Minute?

-No, Two

All over the world the

In Durban two men were ap-

Busuto tribe and asked if they

simplest form of confidence

tricks still finds victims.

Durban, Mar. 17.

typewriter,

than in any other

the state of war" was reported | They are still waiting - and Basuto.-France-Presse.

Truce Commission Always Feuding

Hanoi, Mar. 17. The Indo-China Truce Commission is functioning like a three-legged dog, each leg with a will

It is made up of Communist Poles, anti-Communist Canadians and neutral Indians. Move To Impound Canadians side with the French and the Poles side with the Vietminh. They are always feuding.

> The Chairman of the Commission and head of the Indian delegation, Ambassador M. J. wields the "blg stick" which gets what action the

INDIAN PRAISED

Everyone praises the Indian Chairman for his skill at negotiation and his determination to apply the Geneva Agreement objec-

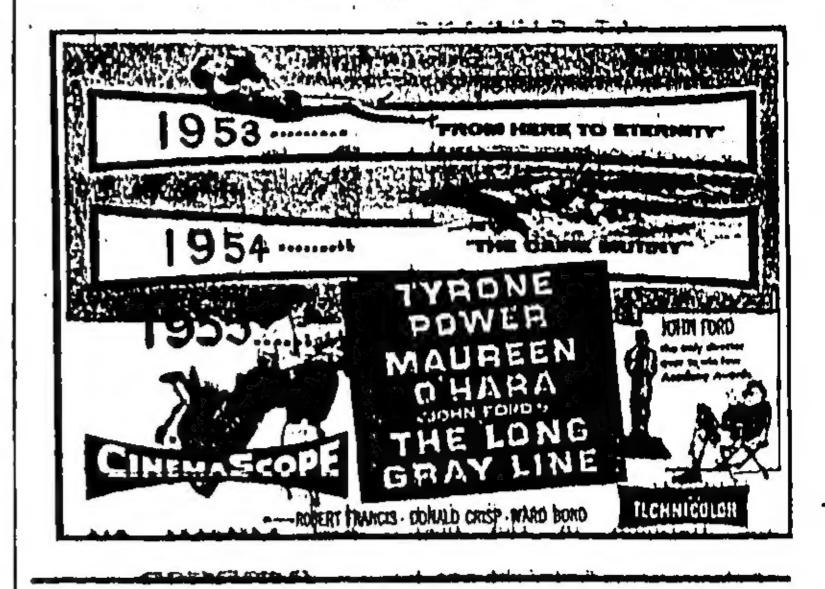
he has been working on his to a vote. Neither wishes to go opinion as to what these

The "big stick" for the French and the Vietminh, who sometimes balk at carrying out a suggestion of the Commission, is to threaten to refer the matter buck to the Geneva Conference, which theoretically is still sitting. Neither the French hor the Victminh want this,

In his relations with the others Mr Desni says, "I ask for 100 per cent. If they give mo only 60, I take that and ask for the other 40."

Democratic libertles were Mr Trumon had no comment. The "blg stick" he uses guaranteed in the Geneva to make on Mr Farmer's suit, heainst the Canadians and Poles Agreement, but not defined.

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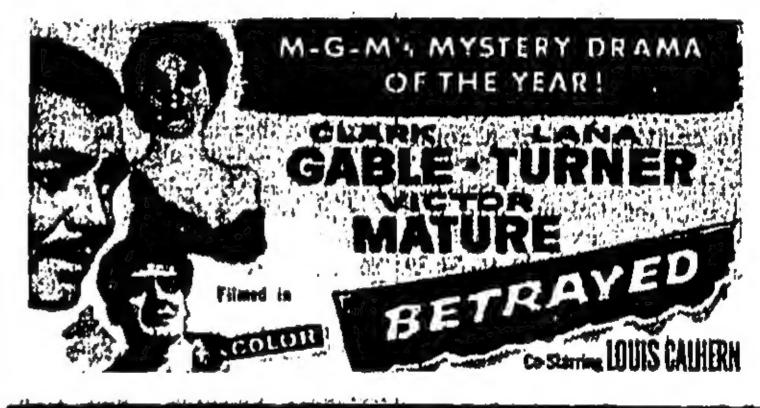
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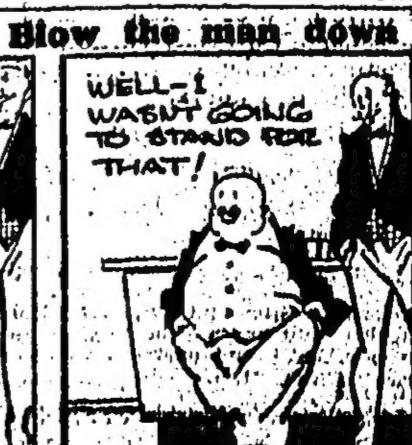
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ISRAELI-EGYPTIAN CLASH These Japs Did Not Know

They Were Beaten

Those four Japanese sirmen who have hidden in the New Guinea jungle since 1944

are now on their way home to their native Japan. They had refused to believe that Japan

had been defeated in World War II. Their nine comrades died from disease and hardship.

They had heard from natives garbled reports about a "terrific explosion" in Japan and

eventually they accepted that the war was over and trekked to Hollandia in Dutch New

Guinea. They were arrested by a West New Guinea civil servant. Their leader Simada.

describing their adventures in the jungle during the past ten years, said that the airmen

had arrived at Rabaul from Manchuria aboard the Alkoko Maru early in 1943 and were

soon afterwards transferred to Wowsk, and then ordered to Hollandia. They arrived at Aftape on a forced march to Hollandia two days before the American landing. During the

march 28 men were swept away and were drowned. The remaining 12 reached Vanimo

where they heard that Hollandia had been captured, three more died from disease and the

remainder lived by stealing from military dumps, then another five died from disease. The

four then went into the jungle and lived with the natives, each one taking it in turn to

visit Hollandla to see if the Japanese Navy had returned. The airmen are on their way

home,-Express Photo.

Bonn, Mar. 17.

It was reliably learned in

joint declaration, clarifying

Paris that France and Germany

are expected soon to publish

their position over the Sour

agreement which they signed in

The Foreign Minister, M

Antoine Pinay, told the Foreign

Affairs Commission of the

National Assembly he had been

in touch with Dr Konrad

Adenauer, with the object of

settling misunderstandings which

the Lower House a fortnight ago.

M. Pinay said he had stressed

the importance of a clarification

before the French Council of

the Republic debates ratifica-

tion of the Spar and Paris

SECRET TALKS

Herr Franz Josef Strauss.

West German Minister with-

out Portfolio, had had

secret talks with the French

Foreign Minister in Paris

Herr Strauss said the talks

were "an exchange of views on

current foreign policy prob-

lems." — Reuter & France-

It was reported that

agreements next week.

COURT RULING ON SAAR

One

MARLENE AWARDED DAMAGES



Paris, May 17 Film star Mariene Dietrich was awarded 1,200,000 france (about £1,200 sterling) damages against the French weekly, Dimminche by a Paris Appeal Court today.

Miss Dietrich complained that the weekly published, without her authorisation, in three nambers appearing in December 1950 a series of articles about "My Life, by Marlette Dietrich" A lower court awarded her 50,-1 000 (ranes (£50 sterling) dumages. Miss Dietrich appealed against this award as insufficient to notice and the appeal was upheld today w China Mail special,

Dulles To Brief Canadian MPs

Ottawa, Mar 17 Mr. John Foster Dulles, United States Secretary of State, arrived here today by air the fighting on the Egyptian brief side were found to be 36 militury from Washington to Consodian Members of Parliament on world affairs.

In a brief statement, he referred to Canada as "a Pacific power" and spoke of her rule on the Truce Supervisory Commission in Indo-China. He said he would exchange views with Government leaders on economic and defence problems of Europe

Arriving 75 minutes late, be was met by Mr Lester Pearson, External Affairs Minister,

His place had been forced to return to Washington soon after taking off because of engine trouble which was quickly put right by the ground staff, --Reuters

Gaza Incident Most Serious Since Armistice Signed TRUCE CHIEF REPORTS TO SECURITY COUNCIL

New York, Mar. 17. Major General E. L. M. Burns, Canadian Chief of the United Nations Truce Supervision Organisation in Palestine, reported to the Security Council today that the February 28 fighting between Israel and Egypt in the Gaza Strip constituted "the most serious clash between the two parties since the signing of the armistice agreement."

Before General Burns spoke, the Soviet delegate, Mr Arkady Sobolev, expressed his country's sympathy with Egypt regarding casualties suffered in the clash.

Circumstances showed that sent tension but has undoubled-! Israel must bear responsibility been one of its main causes." for the incident. One could not General Burns said. overlook that these Israeli." General Burns said the recurher private life under the little bull-ary activities with a rence at more or less frequent scrious violation of the United intervals of shooting incidents Nations Charter "and create along the demarcation line, the serious tension in the area more frequent cases of infiltrawhich the Council cannot fall tors crossing the line and their

MILITARY BLOCS *

policy of "certain govern-

General Burns listed various:

Israeli accusation of Egyptian

spying and added "The Gaza

incident could append in this

context as retaliation for the

spying, sabotage and murders for

which the Egyption inditory in-

telligence service was said to be

personnel and two civilians,

killed, 29 military personnel an

two civilians wounded. Eight

Attached to General Burns' re-

port was the finding of the

Egyptian-Israeli Mixed Armistice

blame for the incident, at the

sank time rejecting her com-

SUMMARY OF COMPLAINTS

Also attached was a sum-

mary of complaints lodged

before the MAC by both

countries between Novem-

ber last year and February

controlled beriftory has not

been the only cause of the pre-

DOWN

2 Place of pilgrimage (5).

13 Took as one's own (7).

28 Measure of drink (4).

20 Makes broader (6).

1 Ciphers (5).

3 Fruit (5).

5 Origin (4).

7 Wandering (6).

6 Edict (6).

9 Exact (7).

11 Agree (0).

16 Mad (6),

15 Trampled (4).

18 Spoken (4).

21 Rules (6).

24 Skilful (8).

Ends, 21 Disaster, 25 Gradient, 26 Firm, 27 Estrange, Down! 1

25 Tendency (5).

26 Come in (8).

"Infiltration from Egyptian

Israelis were reported killed,

Commission that Israel was

plaint against Egypt

this year,

A British Crossword Puzzle

23

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ACROSS

1 Animal (5).

8 Run away (6).

10 Happen (8). 12 Speaker (0). 14 Discoloured (7).

17 Illuminating gas (4).

23 Alarm (7).

30 Abandon (6), 31 "Opening" word (6).

19 Musical entertainment (7).

4 Crib (6).

20 Adore .(7).

22 Notion (4).

27 In fact (6).

32 Royal line (8).

20 Keen (5).

He reported that ensualties in

responsible,"

to form military blocs.

activities in Israel had helped to maintain a state of tension, Tension was increased by the temotion created in Israel by the Mr Soboley said tension But Gulim case (the Israel vessel in the area was due to the seized by Egyptians south of Sucz last September) and the ments" and policies designed Coro trial in January of Jews Oil Company which is prosnot to strengthen peace but charged with apying.

SUGGESTED MEASURES

General Burns recalled that last November he had suggested these measures for easing the border situation: Joint patrols at sensitive parts of the demarcation line; Negotiation of a local commanders agreement; barbed wire along parts of the line; and the manning of all outposts and pairols by regular troups,

that had both parties reached drilled south of the village tempt to fulfil the conditions, in- | ranean . filtration could be reduced to an occasional nulsance. - Reuter.

BAD JOSS FOR STICK MAKERS

Singapore, Mar. 17. TOSS stick manufacturers in Malaya hane risen protest against the authorities demanding a lifting of the duty on the imports of joss sticks ingredients. ingredients needed for

production of joss sticks are sandalwood from Australia or Thailand, sandalwood off from India, "musk dragon" from France, special starch from Hongkong and bamboo from China.

The duty on sandalwood was 10 per cent and the joss silck makers used more than six tons of it a month, manufacturers said.

Duty on special starch had now been lifted but in the case of bamboo, there is no fixed rate of duty. Sandalwood oil and "musk dragon" both carried 25 per cent duty.

manufacturers complain that the duty on the in-gredients had made production costs of joss sticks exceedingly high.-France-Presse.

No Bang Today

Las Vegas, Mar. 17. The sixth atomic explosion in the current "Tempot" series at Yucca fint has been postponed once again owing to unfavourable weather conditions, it was learned here tonight.

Already previously put off by bad weather, the explosion had been scheduled by the US Atomic Energy Commission for Friday morning. No date has yet been fixed.—France-Presse.

Bitmingham, Mar, 17.

Jamaican in his thirties, whats The sentence was, however, inte work here soon as the first coloured priest to be appointed YESTERDAY'S CROSSWORD -Across 3 Elongate, 8 Avon, a diocessa chaptain in the Eng-9 Despuirs, 11 Intructes, 13 Rely, 18 Insecute, 18 Ensconce, 19 lish Church, His main job will be to look Sari, 2 Loot, 4 Lied, 5 Nips, 6 Agile, 7 Essay, 9 Dunce, 10 efter the efty's 10,000 coloured Scers, 12 Kinon, 14 Lucre, 10 Untie, 17 Eclar, 19 Eagle, 20 Draft, population which is growing 21 Diva, 22 Snug, 23 Trip, 24 Romp. Tapidly, China Mail Special.

Reverend Dr Marous James, a

Dodging Land Mines In Search Of Oil

The Egyptian-American W. German Democrats Oil Company which is pro-pacting for oil in the West-ern Desert, will drill a deep ern Desert, will drill a deep west of Alexandria at the beginning of April, it was announ**ced**

Mr Millard K. Neptune, Compane Manager who is superstuched great importance to the est well

"initial preparations," he said in an interview, "will permit drilling to a depth of 15,000 feet He was still of the opinion if necessary. The well will be agreement on the lines he sug- Burg el Arab, almost on the gested and made an honest at- shores of the Eastern Mediter-

> be representative and that the from the Court they could delay up for the weekend, he will not ed in this area insofar as th geological information is concorned."

FIRST ON CONCESSION

Mr Neptune disclosed the new well will be the first on the appear to be forthcoming. 50,000,000-acre concession to be drilled by a Company-owned if Dr Mommer does not get his and operated rig. The Americame will provide the superintendent, drillers and mechanics, and the Egyptians, the remainder of the crew.

The concession has been assigned by Egypt to subsidiaries of four United States oil companies, the Continental Oil Company, Cities Service, Onlo Oil Company, and Richfield Oil Company, The Egyptian-American Company operates on behalf of the group. Mr Neptune said that drilling day that the position of sterling operations have to proceed with was being held satisfactorily "as caution because there are still a result of the drastic steps l

several million land mines in was obliged to take." concession area. Every working unit in the desert, he local sald, includes a Sapper squad branches meeting in London that headed by an expert,—United the stability of the British

Police Protection For Stevedores

Calcutta, Mar. 17.

Shipping agents and stevedores resumed loading and unloading work at the port of Calcutta by stages this morning. They stopped work on March 14, alleging mob rule in the dock China Mail Special.

Dr Karl Mommer, a member of the West German Democratic Opposition, spent today canvising the drilling plans, said he vassing for the one final signature his Party needs in its campaign to seek a court ruling on the Saar

The Party already has 162 signatures of members of the Lower House — one short of the necessary number required to petition the Constitutional Court at Karlsruhe. The Social Democrate hoped one-third signature by tomorrow

"I believe the sediments will that by getting an adverse ruling night, when Parliament breaks ratification of the Saar agree- get it at all. ment for several weeks and perhaps block it altogether. But tonight—eve of the final debate on the Paris treaties in

the Upper House - the final signature on the petition did not Observers here believe that

Butler Pleased followed the German Chancellor's statement on the Saar in.

London, Mar. 17. Mr R. A. Butler, Chancellor of the Exchequer, said here to-

He told representatives of Conservative Party economy "is recognised throughout the world,"

"The prosperity we have managed to re-introduce and the new spirit we have brought into the country are things which are widely recognised by people not only in our ranks, but also throughout the country."-China Mail Special.

Buenos Aires, Mar. 17. President Peron has ordered area. They started work on that an Argentine Hospital shall three steamers with police be named after Sir Alexander protection and work gradually Fleming as a tribute to the spread to other steamers British discoverer of penicillin .-China Mail Special,

TERM LIFTED

Paris, Mar. 17. today, sentenced to five years of national opprobrium by the High Court of Justice for having acted as Secretary 1942. General of the Ministry of Rochat who is now 62 fled to Foreign Affairs in the Victy Government,

mediately lifted for the pervices which he had rendered to his country, Rochat was tried on charges that he was a ker man in decisions taken jointly with Vichy Chief. of State Marmine Phillype Potalo and former Fredch

Premier Pierre Laval in the France against the Western tandings in North Africa in

During his tring some of

ANZUS AN INSURANCE **POLICY**

London, Mar. 17. The High Commissioner for New Zealand, Mr T. Clifton Webb, said here today that Australia and New Zealand have no illusions about the possibility of a resurgence of Japanese mili-

"But," he told the Royal Em-pire Society, "we regard that as less of a risk than stirring up in the breasts of the Japanese people feelings of revenge and hopelessness that would only throw them onto the arms of Communism."

An insurance policy against this calculated risk had been taken out—the ANZUS puct between Australia, New Zealand and the United States of

Japan should rise and that we should encourage and assist her to do so."

Mr Webb continued: "Otherwise she presents an easy prey to Communism from the mainland."—Reuter.

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ceremonially cremated to-

day before a crowd estimat-

ed at more than 300,000

people in the sacred city

The body was carried to

the funeral by Brahlm

priests, and two sons of the

late King set fire to the

The late King's eldest

All of the citizens of

Nepal shaved their heads.

The shaved head is an

For 13 days of national

mourning, the Nepalese

will est no mest and wear

During that same period,

the new King Mchendra

will sleep on straw and cat

frugally.-France-Presse.

today in mourning.

old Hindu custom.

no leather shoes.

son was not present at the

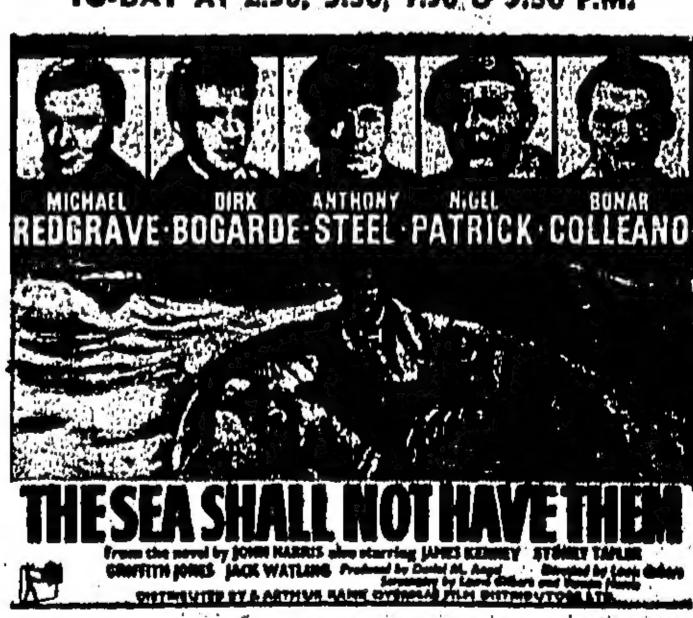
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conflict which opposed Vichy Allies when they made their

Switzerland after the war and was condemned to death in his abottos Tie returned to France voluntarily two months

France's best known diplomats kave testimony tryourable to Rochet. The Court ordered



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puppet theatre, went behind the scenes and, suddenly, began to

Great Well.



FINE CROP OF TARES

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BROWN MYSTERIOUS DRANK MEN WHO JUICE ORANGE

ALTERNATED con- SECOND DAY

stant'y between hope and despair in China. Just when some incident sent cold shivers down my back, up popped a with jolly little character to take the sting out of it.

I drove down into Chung-

king from a distant airfield,

and the scenes would stir

the flintiest heart. I forgot

my earlier bad temper as 1

bounced through a land-

scape like one of those

Japanese rock gardens come

The peasants of Szechuan

worked hard for food -

a Portuguese colony.

narrow streets of

of

"is the guest house."

Brand New

IT looked like a palace, any-

I way-brand new, a glittering

local landlords. He seemed un-

front

palace.

deep valleys.

William Stevenson

Toronto Star correspondent who spent two months in the country and travelled 8,000 miles.

alive. The road I travelled was built of packed earth, and it shot up and around in steep hills or plunged into robes, were held in view of the supposed to be a Chinese affair, audience by ten little men and I wondered how I passed endless streams Around them on the dirt floor pleture squatted the band, clashing of peasants whose faces were cymbals and hammering on twisted in the agony of im- drums and tootling on tin horns.

mense physical effort, and The timing was perfect, and this was not surprising, be- the ten little men were so cause many had harnessed absorbed in their miniature themselves like animals, to opera their faces twisted into heavy wooden carts loaded time they sang out their words, to the sky with slabs of even though they were invisible stone. There was no evid- to anyone outside. ence HERE of forced labour.

Living Buddha

harder than I've seen people TI/ONDERFUL. work anywhere, though I W once saw a rickshaw boy ringing from collapse from heartstrain in I wandered back along the Yangtse River banks, listening to the primitive cries of men stripped naked as they So my mood was one of pulled heavily laden junks upelation mixed with sym- stream against the strong curpathy. I felt the foreigners rents. What a tragedy, thought, that men must work had little right to criticise a like this when a dozen outgovernment which might board motors could do the job. be using ruthless authority But their shouts, echolog to get things done but which strangely in the misty gorges, was at least getting them were cheerful and, no doubt, done. And then, quite sud- at all. denly, my car shot through

It was then I met a strange wore a beaver hat with ribbons ed in authority. in the crown. One of his friends had saffron robes wound about his body, and his head was shaven. It was hard to tell if the third member in the party was man or woman, but THE new a strong smell of stale butter come from all of them.

dome with sweeping staircases The stranger examined me and then said in faultless Engrising to marble halls on either side. "But this," said my guide, lish: "Where are you from?" told him and he replied: "We're from Lhasa. We've been three And so it was-the result of months coming here." all the planning. This was the

kind of thing being built by those poor devils I passed along spent part of his life in the road. My face betrayed my northern India. His shavenheaded friend was a living Buddha. This gave us some-The mayor of Chungking thing in common, because hastened to assure me this earlier in Peking the Dalai palace they called a guest house Lama had touched my forehead had only cost point eight per- and thus turned me into a cent of the taxes levied against living Buddha too.

able to understand that to me "Where are you going?" I it looked as totally useless as asked politely. They said the pyramids or China's own Peking, which meant a further thousand miles of travel, I inquired how they would complete the journey-and why.

"Wo're taking a plane from enjoy myself. It was hard not here," said their lender, getting to, because this was something back astride his donkey. "We're the comrades made no attempt going to see the Russian 'ex- speculation is the appointment

Chinese. Exquisite puppets with I've no idea what induced moving heads and limbs, dressed! this strange trio to embark on beautifully embroidered such a voyage. Thet crouching beneath the stage. Russians had got into the

> Well, that raises the question of who really does rule China. Russia's influence is exerted pockets. through a man of whom we hear little, Liu Shao-chi. Most of us, however, think mostly of Mao Tse-tung and Chou En-lai.

Foreign Minister Chou, perhaps more than any other Communist, dazzled the Western world this past year. He carned public tribute from Sir Anthony Eden, he won respect (and submission in Indo-China) from the French, and he overshadowed his Russian colleagues at Geneva. His flying visit to MHEN Chou steered Nehru to New Delhi charmed Nehru into a trip to Peking. He convinced Burma's Premier the Chinese Communists can be reasonable, and he is the jolly shepherd of those two bewildered young men from Tibet, the Dalai and Panchen Lamas. Yet the fact is that Chou En-lai is very much low man on the totem

Far more powerful is the vast People's Liberation Army, Although administrative changes have taken place which seem to push the Army into the backcharacter riding a mule. He ground, observers are about higgledy- stopped when he saw me and equally divided on whether in piggledy above the Yangtse began an excited conversation fact the Army today is all-River and we emerged in with his two companions. He powerful or very much weaken-

Four Men

Constitution reins hands four men. They are once ignored Stalin's orders in he extended a hand to the conducting the Chinese revolu- Dalai Lama and said: "I'm very tion; then Liu Shao-chi, the pleased to make your acquaint-Grey Eminence who brings to Peking's marble halls the flinty views of Party theoreticians; followed by General Chu Teh, chief of China's military forces, and, last of all, Chou En-lai.

It would seem at first glance that Mao and General Chu Teh have withdrawn into the shadows-that's true only in a constitutional sense. Both men, however, have supreme authority which overrides the Conatitution. Mao controls the whole government machine as chairman of the Comminist Party's Control Committee. Chu Teh commands the physical backbone of the regime-the armed forces.

What now causes widespread

Korean war hero, as national Defence Minister. This, together with the drafting of China's top generals into the Defence Council, suggests the Army remains a very powerful tool, designed, as Mao Tse-tung said back in 1929, "to fulfil certain political tasks."

Yet some observers think it's a preliminary step to putting these Army veterans out to pasture. My own experience. certainly did not indicate that power went with the new glory.

I followed Chou En-lai, for instance, when he took Nehru through the ranks of generals making up the Defence Council They stood over in one corner .-a small, brown lump of silence amid the glitter of diplomatic reception in one of Peking's magnificent pavilions that gleam behind the Winter Palace walls. Their uniforms were ill-fitting; they were no insignia except their names stitched in red ideographs on white tape across their breast

Chou bowled through them with every appearance of a schoolmaster producing his most promising pupils. They were polite but reserved, and while others drank a flerce Chinese vodka these mysterious figures clasped glasses of orange juice in their unpractised fingers.

Bitter Blow

where two youths stood in bright saffron and red robes. " believe you may like to meet the Dalai and Panchen Lamas," said China's Foreign Minister, the ghost of a smile flitting across his mobile face.

For me, it was a dramatic moment. The Dalai Lama gave Nehru's India two thousand miles of common frontier with a Communist country when he accepted the absorption of Tibet into China. It had been a bitter blow to Nehru.

There was a moment's pause. Behind us, the Chinese generals rustled softly. A glass tinkled, a foot shuffled. Perhaps I'm a sensitive soul, but it seemed to me you could feel the whole Chinese Army pressing at your back during those few seconds -an Army which conquered China for her people against internal and foreign enemies of and which fought our U.N. of forces to a standstill in Korea.

> Nehru looked tired and old as ance after all this time.

Was it a capitulation? The Chinese are great people for symbols, and this moment seemed to have been chosen with artistic care. Or was Nehru making a massive gesture goodwill? His Indian advisers in Pcking have roported that the Army's status in China today is a reduced one, in flat contradiction to Western speculation. Perhaps Nehru, who must surely have recognised the aignificance of that strange encounter, hoped to avoid further tensions and so keep the Army in its supposedly place over in one corner.

TOMORROW Not Quite The Glant As Many Think

CENTENARIAN OF OPERA

By Gerard Bourke

TUST one hundred and by his father, also named fifty years ago yester. Manuel, day a young couple in The elder Manual, who was the wild Spanish province of to become head of the most Catalonia bent over a cradle famous family in the history of and wished for a great sing- singers, had aided Rossini in born son.

singers, so they could justily tenor part of Count Almaviva hope that some of their at the first performance. genius might pass to their

but perhaps not altogether "The Barber." as they had expected.

Manuel Garcia became well-known singer, too, but the international fame he won was for his brilliant tultion of others rather than for his own voice.

It was said that his father trained him too hard while his voice was passing naturally from tenor to baritone, and this gave it an unpleasant vibrato.

Nevertheless, he became Spain's Grand Old Man music. He lived to be 101, died in London 49 years ago.

TAUGHT THE GREAT

He was the first man to make a scientific study of voice production, and was the inventor of the laryngoscope which permits examination of a person's throat. Aided in his work by one of Napoleon's ablest surgeons, his system of mirrors is used today in perfected form.

At the time, Garcia was on the staff of London's Royal Patrick's Day, 1905, King Ed-Academy of Music, a post he ward VII summoned him to held for 50 years. He taught Buckingham Palace to accept the many of the greatest singers of Royal Victorian Order, Despite the 19th century, including Sir his age, he went personally to Charles Santley, described by receive the decoration. Shaw as "one who has achieved all that is yet possible for a great English singer."

But enthusiastic though he was about linking science with singing, Garcia was not merely a technician.

In his younger days he had toured widely as a baritonic with an opera company founded



H-bombs!"

ing future for their newly- completing "The Barber of Seville," Perhaps that explains why Rossini, usually lazy, finished the brilliant score in two Both were singers, famous weeks Rossiol gave him the

Later, when the family opera company went on tour in America, they were able to give Their wish was fulfilled, a remarkable performance of

MANY DECORATIONS

Garcia senior song Almaviva The part of the housekeeper was token by his wife, who had become an opera singer after abandoning girlhood plans to become a nun. Rosich was played by his daughter, the great contralto Malibran, The part of Figure was taken by Garcia junior, our centenarian,

The younger Garcia toured the Continent as well as America - where the private company had been robbed of a heard of gold by thieves - and had received many foreign decorations. Among these was one given to him by the King of Sweden for his helpful tuition of Jenny Lind, the "Swedish Nightingale," also a favourite with London audiences at Covent Garden.

Throughout his long life, he watched over the progress of singers in the London concert hall and in the theatres, and also showed keen perception of purely orchestral musical trends. On his 100th birthday, St

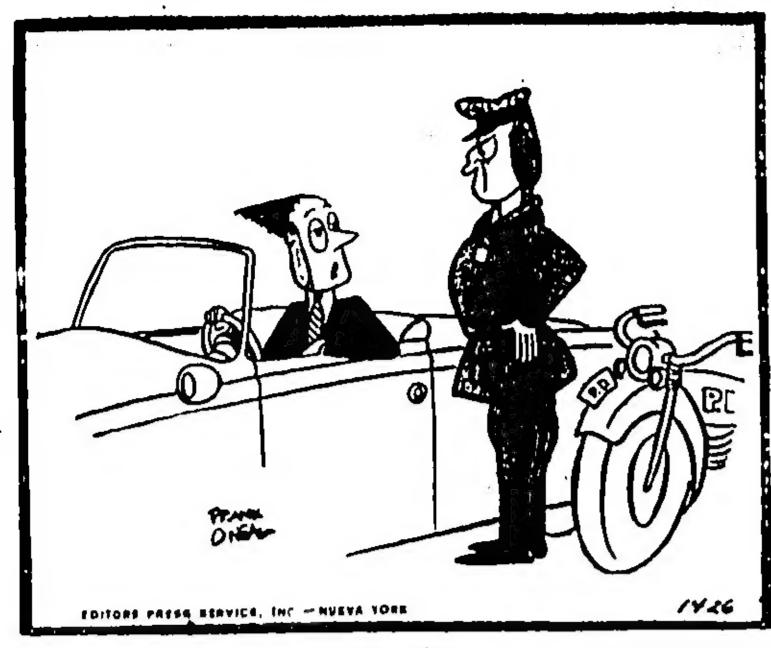
LONG SERVICE

On returning home, he was greeted by almost all the leaders of London's musical life, who reviewed his long service in flattering addresses. In view of the date, his birthday cake was in the shape of a gigantic shamrock, surmounted by the figure of St Cecilia, patron saint of

His sister, Madame Malibran. had died long before in 1836 by OSBERT LANCASTER from induries received when thrown from a horse. He was survived, however, by a Younger cister. Madamo Viardot, not only a famous singer but also a composer whose works were admired by George Sands and Alfred de Mussot. She had even had lessons in composition from Franz Liszt.

> Her death in 1910 did not end the service of this unusual Spanish family to singing. Manuel Garcia, the centenaleft behind a son rian. Gustave, and a grandson, Albert, and both joined the London's Royal College of Music as teachers of singing. Only the family of the great J. S. Bach, the musician. gave musicians more of its members to music,





"Yes?"

FRIDAY, MARCH 18

13 talent for the spoken word and are probably excellent in argument or debate. You can talk black into appearing white -- and vice versa. exceptional and because of this, you must always keep your ideals high. You have a gift for leadership and you will do your best work when you are dealing with the public.

While you are a natural solesman, it is likely that selling ideas in more in your line. Politics will offer a fine career, and you should be highly successful. You have the capabilities for becoming a states. position, but those who disagree and John C Calhoun, statesmen

SATURDAY, MARCH 19

tinexpectedly happy day

ARIES (Mar. 21-Apr. 20)more pleasure.

TAURUS (Apr. 21-May 21)-There is romance in the air for your today. Take a look around It may letter writing, this may be an excelprove a real adventure GEMINI (May 22-June 21)-Get an early start on things that need doing and the evening can then the spent in pleasure. CANCER (June 22-July 23)-

at home" there'll be plenty to do Get goingt 1, E O (July 24-Aug. 21)- will turn out successfully Contribute to your popularity in the

there follows at once a warning

It seems that prosperity is the last thing to be desired, a kind of deadly

poison, the effects of which only

stockbrokers and bankers can hope

to escape. Meanwhile, I applaud the

suggestion that interim stabilisation of the cost of living should be tried.

This means that during the short

periods before the weekly rise in

CROSSWORD

ENORN today, you have a real personality makes it impossible for people to view you in a neutral

> You usually keep your imaginauon under control so that it can and dummy ruffed again; Denelecting a marriage partner, and charer now overtook the king of someone who is born under the same hearts and led a second trump, sign, as you need someone of similar fortunately dropping the misscharacteristics. You plan to be ing trumps 2-2 He continued boss" in your own home, but you prefer an individual who can ron- with the rest of his trumps and iribute ideas and not be just another the ace of chrbs, saving three

nie Francis Lieber educator, Grover had to save three diamonds like-Cleveland, U.S. President, Richard Wise, and therefore had to disman provided you hold to the best Pearson Strong, biologist; Betty that is in you. You do not like op. Compson, actiess, and William Duet with you merely offer a new To find what the stain have hi challenge You work all the harder store for you tomorrow select your to turn opponents into adherents furthday star and read the corres-You will make strong friendships and ponding paragraph. Let your birthprobably some enmittee Your day star be your daily guide

PISCES (Feb 20-Mar 20)- VIRGO (Aug. 24-Sept. 23)-Plan a day of home pleasures for the Family affairs may need your close entire family. You should have an attention today Take care of all details wisely

1.1BRA (Sept. 24-Oct. 23)-Staying at home, rather than gadding. Might be a good time to get going about, will bring you considerably on plane for the garden. Time is getting short)

SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 22)-If you have been neglecting your lent time to eatch up SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 23-Dec. 22)--

Thus could be the moment when you perd some complete relocation to let down mounting tendons CAPRICORN (Dec. 23-Jan. 20)-Even though Saturday is your "day Make my kend of plane you desire for today with the assurance that AQUARIUS (Jan, 21-Feb. 19)neighbourhood by co-operating in If the weather is fine, make an atsome important community endeas tempt to get out into the country if city-bound, at least get in a walk

stabilisation It sounds impressive

Qui m'aftend au pays Breton.

66TF," saod Blokhed, "this Mr Scati-

customer. His acting is uncannily

perfect, lie never forgets for a

moment that he is supposed to be

swarthy agent who said, "There are

It is a mistake to think that an oratorio must be dult and pompous.

Trebles: The empties man-the

(Music critic.)

cutted again-the

master-

147 dead Albanians in room 328."

A bard is really Blakmail-ci-

Nothing doing (8)

· JACOBY ON BRIDGE

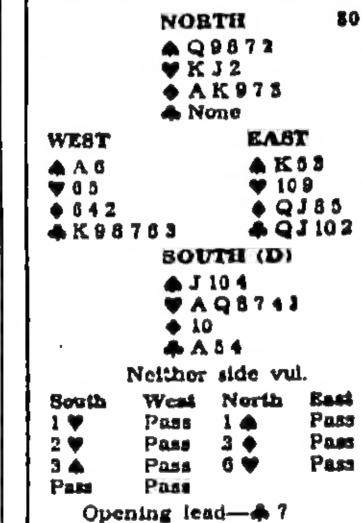
Watch Tourneys For Great Playing

By OSWALD JACOBY

the European Championships, played last Sep-tember, was the deal shown today, played in the match between Germany and Austria. can't honestly recommend the bidding, but every experienced bridge player must feel a cortain amount of sympathy for it. We've all reached equally "impossible" slams, but they don't usually find their way into the newspapers.

When the Austrian expert Schneider held the South eards, he took a long-shot chance to try for his slam contract. After ruffling the opening club lead in the dummy, he played a spade from dummy. East naturally played low. South put up the ten, which looked like a finesse, and West won with the ace.

West returned another club, Among those born on this date diamonds in the dummy. East



card the king of spades. South therefore made his slam contract by means of the squeeze play.

This seemed like a miraculous result, and Schneider had every right to feel clated, but the elation faded when it was discovered that in the other room the German pair had played the hand at six spades—which they had madel

On this occasion North was the declarer. He took the first trick with the ace of clubs (dummy) and led the jack of spades. West properly played low, and East ortfully, as he supposed, held off instead winning the trick with the king

Shairpusha, he is a very cool of spades. North had a very good idea of what was going on, so he got an English traveller," "I put Gaby Every interval between two rises is on to him," said Knasti, "She do his hand with the king of played the lonely French refugee hearts and led a spade towards orphan, and he gave her the address the ten-four in the dummy. East She doped his coffee, but, with the now feared that North was tryof an orphanage in Portsmouth. best imitation of absent-mindedness ing to swindle him out of his I've ever seen he drank hers. Zozo king of trumps, so he put it up got at his waitet last night, but at once. West's ace fell on the cricket matches When she men- same trick, and North calmly tioned Kasr Trebab his birthplace claimed the rest of the tricks!

in Arabia, he said, 'Never heard of him. Who is he?' When Zaborat In spite of this wonderful result at both tables, I would with laughter" At this point the advise you to stay out of slams

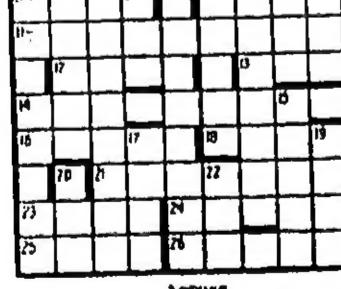
gave him the secret sign of the Black 47, finger in ear, he roared

Oratorio

Beachcomber

GO on singing. The moment it known as a period of interim-

country is frantic with prosperity go on singing, there follows at once is warning . Is jolic Paimpolaise



REUTSA Lip gets mixed when the prince around. (V) This ends at Easter. (4) 10. Kill—the songs are put about.

No is NOT the answer, (3) 14. Bale, Ourly I (anag.). (9) ld Long one is n-winding to the land of my dreams. (6) 18. Double it as part of the witches'

Incantation, (4)
Vibration effect. (7)
Rookery one is farcical. (4) Roan with this kind of

25 What you get up to in debt—
so easily. (4)
26 This puts a touch of glamour
into a firtation—or a pudding.

s. It shows the way the wind's . Their songs have a Caxistmas formulates his stage productions ? (4-4) Lady of this made a notable Solomon sang that these were like the flahpools in Meshbon-

Edward a little short, (8). Tosst becomes an AICIARIELLES membered in EPITHETIAT EPITHETIAT CHIE time. (6) REMILENED SPONSORED RED WITH COLUMN RESERVE STUNDS OF THE PROPERTY OF THE PRO Kew is te-

Basses: Has emptics man-Alto: Bring out the bottles, Mrs 12 "In such a night. . . . Btood --- with a willow in her hand. Haunch-

out, bring out-Basses: Bring out the bottles, Mrs Haunch-Alto: The bottles, Mrs Haunch Bass: The empties man-Treble: The empties man-

Tenor: The

All together: The empties man has

Marginal note

Finker, goes the first one when people are anxious to know what you count. (4-5)

Olve an account. (6)

It shows the way the wind's people are anxious to know what clubs A-K-J-3-2. What do you of atom-bomb attack, to protect the blowing. (9)

Answer Tomostow means of retaliation.

conference was interrupted by a of this kind!

Q-The bidding has been; West North East Pass 1 Diamond Pass 1 Club

You, South, hold: Spades A-Hearts 8-5-2, Diamonds Q-7 Clubs A-K-J-3-2. What do

A-Bld one no-trump. With Tenors: Bring out, bring out, bring only 14 points in high cards and only mediocre support for diamonds you see no need to raise diamonds. The rebid of one notrump shows that you have a minimum opening bid and balanced distribution.

TODAY'S QUESTION

The bidding is the same as In the question just answered. You. T HEAR that the germ-warfare South, hold: Spades K-8-6,

ton make or ton mote or ton letters or letters icasi une nine-letter word in the ist. No plurale: no proper names: no foreign words. TUDAY'S CARUET: 10 words. Solution temorrow. lettery in the TENTERDATE SOLUTION:

Else tale talet tatle termoet leet

itst titotes toes toet mette misee

must MISTLETOE moiet molest

most eem settle allo silt elle
sieet slim elime eltt elle siot

emelt emile smite smote emolt

soil sole some somite steel stele
stem stemiet stile etils stole teet. making each
word the
each of the
each of the since only. Each word must con-

WOMANSENSE

One of the latest Paris fashions comes from a German. Henry Varell, from Munich. He is the first designer from Germany to show a collection in post-war Paris. This softly tailored suit is in light-weight arey wool striped with black.

Applying Rouge For A Flattering Effect

TT is a crime to be unattractive. when cosmetics can do so tip of a weak, receding chin much to improve appearance. A few puts of powder, a light Make-up should be changed deft strokes with the eyebrow pencil, a bit of mascara and the face becomes vivid and in- ing. forgo mascara. Daylight teresting. It's important, of reveals artifice and these are course, to know how to apply the days when natural effects these cosmetics.

that rouge is used for three purposes - attraction, shadow and highlighting,

If your face is full, features fairly large, apply rouge high on the cheekbones, spreading it out to the hairline. If the cheeks are hollow, face thin, use a fairly dark rouge close to the eyes, a fainter shade below. The woman who has dark circles under her eyes should carry rouge to their lower rim.

A faint touch of rouge on the will strengthen the line.

touch of rouge and lipstick, for various occasions, For sport and morning wear you should adopt a delicate check colourare popular,

For afternoon, a more ob-Make-up artists will tell you vious effect can be displayed. In the evening, when artificial lights drain the skin of its natural glow, one can use heavier make-up. Eye shadows will create a mysterious, comehither effect that is very glamorous.

When using make-up, don't forget that there should be colour harmony between rouge, lipstick and nail polich. Keep that in mind whenever you go coemetic shopping.

-HELEN FOLLETT

Aluminium Foil Wrapping Safeguards Tea Flavour

By IDA BAILEY ALLEN

old fashioned windows, each stock (or 2 c. water and 3 broiled ham on each English spot lighted with a quaint chicken bouillon cubes), ½ tsp. muffin half; top with a poached colourful glass bottle. The salt, ¼ tsp. monosodium gluta- egg. Spoon over 1½ tbsp. Hollight danced on the polished floor of wide boards on the huge fireplace at one end of the room where three tea polished pine table.

The Chef and I were guests until boiling. Early American dining room of of 4 parts: Toasted split English water. Cook and stir until thick a large advertising agency.

"This is an actual kitchen, transferred board and bolt from Ipswich, Massachusetts," explained our hostess. "Tue only things that aren't generations old are the ten services. As this is, first of all, a tea-tasting we thought we'd better brew the tea in these earthenware pots."

She poured a cup for me, and one for the Chef. "This ten tostes earthy; it has a murky flavour and a dark colour," announced the Chef.

Unwrapped Package

"It was stored in an unwrapped package for seven weeks at a temperature of 90° F. with 90% humidity," she explained. "Try this next brew." This was a better colour, and insted a bit "earthy."

our hostess. "Now for the last cines. taste-test."

This brew is rich amber in velopments are: the cup, clear as crystal, and the three. Was this also stored humidity?"

protected, and the contents safe- of medicine at Duke University nounced new advances in lung guarded during the seven-week Medical School, found that the cancer research. storage test, by close-wrapping use of Pathilon virtually in aluminium foll, the first and eliminated ordinary side effects the first successful growth of the last word in packaging tea of drug treatments such as dry to conserve full flavour."

Dinner

Fresh Mushroom Soup Melba Toast Eggs Benedict (or use Baked Smoked Ham.

Browned Sweet Potatoes Cauliflower Watercress Salad Deep Dish Apple Pie a la Mode Coffee Tea Milk

All Measurements Are Level Recipes Proportioned to Serve 4 to 0

Fresh Mushroom Soup: Melt 2 If taken two or three times thsp. butter or margarine. In it, day, it is reported to restore saute for 5 min. 2 tosp. minced patient's normal alertness, proonion and 1 c. minced peeled ductivity and interest. .

Pixio

glistening moon. Then Pixle Mc-

Snooze dipped out the stars and

the moon with the long poled-

net and dumped them in the

wooden pail where Pixie

O'Scowl rubbed and scrubbed

CUNLIGHT streamed monosodium glutamate, 1/2 tsp. Meantime, make Hollandalse thap, rice, 1/2 c. diced celery or sauce,

grains nutmeg. Simmer 25 min. or until both ripe olive. celery and rice are tender.

light cream or undiluted each is added.

muffins, broiled thin slices of like boiled custard. smoked ham the size of the Remove from boiling water at mustins, 2 poached eggs for each once and serve. person, and Hollandaise sauce.

mate, 16 tsp. pepper and a few landalse sauce. Top each egg with sprig of parsley or piece of

Hollandalse Sauce: In a small double boiler top, cream 1/2 c. Stir in 1 thsp. flour blended butter. Add 4 egg yolks, one at trays stood ready on a with 1 tbsp. water. Add 1 c. a time; blend thoroughly after

evaporated milk. Cook and stir Blend in 1% thsp. lemon juice, 1/2 tsp. salt and 1/2 tsp. cayenne. for luncheon in the private Rggs Benedict: This consists Gradually stir in 1/2 c, boiling

> If to stand at all before using, To Make: Start ham to broll when making beat in 1/4 isp. and toast muffins; half-poach cornstarch with the egg yolks the eggs and keep in hot water to bind the ingredients together where they will finish cooking, and help prevent "curdling."

New Developments In Medicine

By HERMAN N. BUNDESEN, M.D.

is It is reported to be effective MEDICAL science had a tangy flavour, but still IV constantly making great strides both in research heart or appetite of a patient. "The package was wrapped methods and in actual dethe same conditions," explained velopment of new media and a Geiger counter is reported

Among these recent de-

with fine full ten flavour," ob- drug reported to relieve pain served the Chef. "It is queen of by relaxing the spasm of at 90° F, temperature with 90% the stomach. Relaxation helps to heal ulcers.

mouth, urinary retention and disturbances of vision.

Dr Ruffin and his associates emphasised that a pain relieving also do so in the human lung." drug such as Pathilon should be used in addition to therapy and never as a substitute for treatment. Pathilon is expected to be released for use in America soon. Meratran-A drug said

alleviate the moods of depressed or emotionally tired patients. The drug is made in pill form

for as long as 24 hours. It does not affect the sleeping habits, Use of radioactive phosphorus causing pressure behind the

eyes. The radioactive atoms are concentrated if cancer is Pathilon-A new ulcer present. The atoms can then be measured by the Geiger counter.

The Sloan-Kettering Institute "Yes, but the package was Dr Julius M. Ruffin, professor in New York recently an-

> Institute scientists reported normal human lung "tissue in laboratory animals. According to the scientists, this procedure will be used to help them determine "whether or not components of cigarette smoke that cause cancer in mouse skin will A progress report released by the Institute's board of trustees also describes a new diagnostic aid for the earlier detection of

lung cancer. A gentle washing of the respiratory passages collects cells discarded from the linings of these passages. If an early cancer is present, the cells may

be found in the washings. Such a procedure may also permit study of cellular changes which precede development of ung cancer,

SEPARATES

COTTON

MAGAZINE GIRLS' BOYS'

in a hurry at all.

she asked again.

what they would do.

squealing and kicking.

Fishing For Stars

-The Pixies Do It with a Special Net-

By MAX TRELL

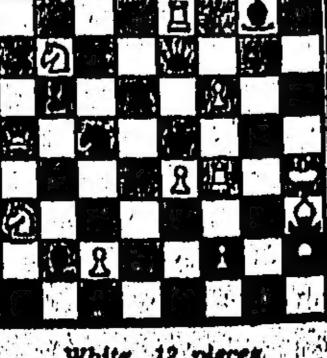
66 A LL right, McSnoozel" Pixie A O'Scowl was saying in his grumbling voice. "Move a little faster! And mind you don't trip over that net-pole!"

It was a few minutes later that Knarf and Hanid, shadow-children with the turned-about names, saw the two Pixies crossing the garden behind the house and disappearing in the direction of the pond.

Without wasting a moment, they ran after them and caught them just as they were passing the edge of the concrete road

CHESS PROBLEM By A. ELLERMAN

Black, 6 pieces.



White, 12 pieces. White to play: mate in two. So latton to yesterday's Q-R4, any; 2, Q, B, Rt,

where it touches the side of the

winding path. The moon and the stars were shining. It was briskly cold, but not so cold that your knees shook or your teeth chattered or your fingers curled back up

into your sleeves. Knarf and Hanid said in two cheerful togethery voices: "Good evening. Pixie O'Scowli Good evening, Pixle McSnooze! Where are you going with that fishing net and that big wooden pail?"

A Sleepy Pixie "Out of the way!" said Pixle O'Scowl. "We've no time for

Pixie McSnooze just yawned, standing on one foot with one each one with soap and a little eye open and the other eye brush.

Rupert and the Broken Plate-24



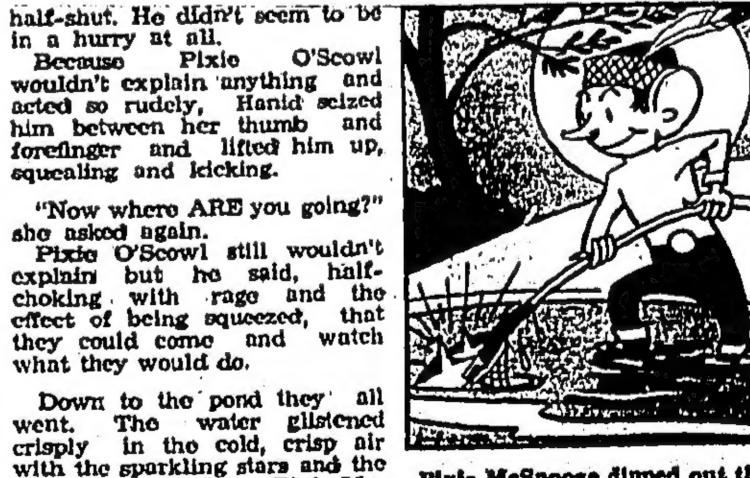
After the sad news that their plate has been broken Rupert disappointed, or to go sway, but to his surpries they only talk together quietly in the foreign lenguage. In a very little while they nod at each other as though thinks Res



the alder mentleman comes forward he is actually smiling. Ze break.

It is nothing, it no mattaire, he
says. Ze bits, you ave sem.

year Goodness, I do believe
he wants the broken pieces,
thinks Repert to acconstiment.



Pixic McSnooze dipped out the stars with a long-poled net.

And when they were all clean and bright, as they had been on the first day when they were created, Pixis O'Scowl corried the whole pail full up to the top of the highest hill and with a great heave tossed them up into the sky.

The Starry Night

The whole pail full of stars and the moon zoomed up Into the black sky like crisp, glistening flery roman candles.

They didn't fell back again. They stuck in the sky.

Knarf and Hanid just stood or the top of the hill and stared fall down again.

Shoom with him



By VERA WINSTON HERE is a good two-part

costume to match or to pair with other things. It is a up, wondering at how beautiful French colten with a scattered the moon and the stars looked, all-over small dot and border of wondering more why they didn't posics and leaves. The border 'all-over amail dot and border of print is used effectively in both They didn't even notice when the alceveless blouse and Pixie O'Scowl picked up the pleated skirt that go so pall and the long poled-net and beautifully together. The blouse went, running away, back to buttons in front and has a V O'Cheer Rail where the Pixles neck fort and aft. The colour lived, taking the yewning scheme is white with green and stretching, blinking, drowsy Mo. blue precionizating in the attractive print

FAMOUS JOCKEYS TALK

WHEN MANNY IS RIDING DARIUS ... LOOK OUT

By THE SCOUT

London.

Manny Mercer enters the 1955 racing scene fresh from holiday travel, which embraced New York, Hollywood and Honolulu.

He has returned to a new sports car in the garage of his trim little house which looks out towards Newmarket's Rowley Mile stands.

him as No 1 English jockey— j enthusiastically by Manny's be see," he grinned. "I shall former mentar, Charlie Elliott, Second retainer is held by as well as at Newmarket," George Colling to whom young Mercer became

galned fame by winning the 1947. "Uncoln" on Jockey Treble Harry Wragg has third commund of his services, and Manny is looking forward to renewing his successful partnership with

Durius this senson has done in America, Sir Peres Loraine's horse must be about the best in the world right now. mays his lockey.

While at Souta Anita early this year. Manny rode in one race. "It was an interesting experience but I did not want to I tie myself down to a regular job i there," he explained

Patience, anywhy, will never be Manny's redeeming quality excepting only on horseback. As I a jockey be is in this respect. a different person to his earth-1. bound self.

THE WEATHER

We were falking the otherday (about the weather) and 1 asked him how he took to the ordeal of race-riding in the bitter cold.

"It's furnity, your know they little it matters," he said "Sometimes when I go to get on a horse, my teeth aught be chatbering with the cold. As some as I'm up, I don't seem to notice it any more:

Monny hoppens to be one of those instinctive natural born jockeys. I suspect that he is happiest when not tied down to

orders. Charlie Elliott helped to Cashron his riding style, and he has tobylously absorbed some of Harry Wragg's technique,

His chances of becoming the champion jockey have never been more favourable. Handily weighted at 7st 131b, there is something about his way of riding which gives him the **Clicket-of-entry** into the top Closs.

EXACTING BEASON

This will be his most exacting season. Manny has come up to success the hard way He doesn't intend to go back: There's a TV set and an affec-

tionate nine - month - old corgid cast.

Slow Trial By Cambridge

London, Mar. 17. Cambridge University returned one of the slowest times since the war in their final full course trial over the Boat Race course from Putney to Mortlake on the River Thames today.

In slightly worse overall conditions than Oxford encuntered yesterday, their time for the four and a quarter miles was 22 minutes 21 seconds. This was 57 seconds worse than Oxford and three and a half minutes worse than their own trial of a week ago.

The race takes place on March 26.—China Mail Special.



Harry Odell

Your cinema fare this weekend should be "THE GOOD DIE YOUNG" 'ALONG CAME JONES"

15 COOD FOR PLANTS: USE BATH SURPLUS IN THE GARDEN.

ATER IS PRECIOU

He has come back with a feel- (called (appropriately) Splash ing, too, that this will be a installed now in his Newmarket high-powered, non-skid, non- home. E. Mercer intends to see plenty of both of them and do some gardening too in his spare M. Marcel Boussae has booked time during the coming season "When I'll have the spare engagement endorsed time, though, it's not very easy

have to ride to work at Chantilly



Hashim rests his injured foot on brother Azam's bad leg.

prenticed soon after he had Hashim Khan The successful purtnership with During During this season of the Season

H. Khan winner by three sets to two over A. Khan. That was the result of the final last week of the British Professional Squash ('hampionship. That's what goes down in the record books, with the additional information that H. Khan equalled J. P. H. Dear's record of five wins in the event.

But there was more to it than that, much more. Winner Hashim and loser brother Azam had no right to be on the court at all. Hashim had just a blister cut from his heel, he had more on his feet and some deep corns. He has to go again to hospital for a minor operation to have them taken ouf. He has also to have an operation on his eyes.

Newcastle United Joint Favourites To Win F.A. Cup

London, Mar. 17. Newcastle United, who won their English Football Association Cup replay yesterday against Huddersfield to enter the semifinals, were made 2-1 joint favourites with Sunderland to win the Cup at tonight's callover here.

Manchester City, Sunderland's next opponents, were quoted at 9-4, while little York City, who meet Newcastle, were 100-7 in the betting. — China Mall

Cricket

The following have been selected to represent their respective clubs in league chance." cricket matches over the week-

K.C.C. The following will represent the

1st in their fixture v Army tomorrow at Meet Hongkong Star Ferry Whatf at I p.m .-- A. Zimmern, P. Wood, D. G. Coffey, B. C. N. Carnell, R. E. Lee, R. G. Heron, P. V. Dodge, R. Bell, R. Jenner, Davidson, H. Chamberlain. Mrs II. Chamberlain. C. 2nd XI v King George V School (Home) tomorrow at 1.30 p.m. - E. C. Fincher, S. V. Gittins, W. J. B. Lewis, S. J. Boucest J. B. Lewis, S. J. Boycott, M. Guilford, K. Lo, J. Marshall, A. J. Calley, N. Hart Baker, T. R. Mardox. Umpire: L. Quincey.

H.R.C.C. The following will represent the tomorrow:—G. H. P. Pritchard.
T. P. Mahon, R. H. Hughes, R. M.
Macpherson, K. G. E. Spink.
H. R. O. Hubble, C., V. B. Leader,
G. T. Rowe, A. J. Harvey, G. B.
Gibbons, A. Malden; Umpire: P. J.

Hart; Boorer; R. McAdam. to represent the Chub in its fixtures tomorrow, matches commencing at

The following have been selected to represent R.A.F. B' in a Second Division match against I.R.C. B' at Rei Tak tomorrow M. 1.30 p.m.:—Collen, Doggrell, Stanbridge, Wattens, Ashby, Sisok, Thornton, Harrison, Jones, Lovett, Davies, Umpire—Th/Sgt. Buttle.

Ron Barton, 22-year-old light heavyweight, and Britain's main Hope in this division, will fight Ramon Martinez of Spain, over ten rounds at the Royal Albert Hall on March 22. On the same bill, Brian Harper, former ABA Henvyweights Champion will have his first fight as a pro-fessional. Younger son of British heavyweight champion, Jack London, he will take his father's ring hame and box as Brian Lougon.

Azam came to the Lausdowne | for another five or six years. Club straight from hospital l where he was having electrical for would-be champions, leg injury. He could only play boy wonder player. He by having pain killing injec-

Both players had been suffering from these allments throughout the tournament. But only once was either exlended on his way to the last round. That was in the semi-finals when Hoshim was taken to five games by cousin Roshan.

Came the final and the Iwo "cripples" gave an exhibition which would have been a credit to the fittest.

WAS SUPREME

Roshim particularly was supreme. And he is 39. That alone is enough to rule out most, without being a walking

But not Hashim, This tubby, bolding little Pakistani is the Joe Davis of squash.

nearest he gets to a real challenge is from his own family: also like Davis Hashim plans to give up his title to "let someone else have

But not yet Hashim says he will be coming back to Britain

FOOTBALL LEAGUE

Eire Beats Northern Ireland

Dublin, Mar, 17. The Football League of Ireland (Eire) who led 1-0 at half-time, were worth their 2-1 win over the Irish League (Northern Ireland) at Dalymount Park here today but the match never came up to expectations.

Here was much negative football from both sides, but that home attack showed slightly more punch with Scottish inside-The following have been rejected right Jimmy Gauld the live-

the interval but 13 minutes fast getaway.

CAYE SHOWS JUST STARTING

I WON'T BE LONG

GAMBOLS

treatment and massage for a Pakistan is an eleven-year-old both foreigs, but there have not - Hashim's son Scefah.

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SKILFUL

SOCCER

WALTER Learn from WINTERBOTTOM.

England's Master Coach

Use Your Wits

TN all ball games the expert uses ruses to hood-Like Davis he has reached a wink his opponents. We level of his own; like Davis the sometimes call this "selling the dummy," and there are many ways it can be done. For example, you can deceive

a an opponent by changing your speed. If you move always at the same speed it is ensier to counter your ideas; but if you Break into a sprint, and edge slow down and then accelerate, your opponent has to be very nulck in his reactions to keep pace with your movements. You can practise this change

of pace and direction several ways. Here are some: You are running with the ball and an opponent closes in to tackle. Try slowing down, and then dashing forward

again at top speed. Do the same again, but this time stop quickly, then dash away as quickly in another direction. Your ball control must be very good to do this the ball that way. Instead

feet, slowing down as you direction. approach your opponent, then give a pass to a team-mate Slow down, then lean as if and run, quickly round your making off in a new direction, with a 6-2, 6-2 win over Egypt's man to get the return pass. Run towards the ball and past him before he recovers. pretend to return it from You will learn numerous where it came, but at the last tricks of feinting, dodging, and IRC "A" va Navy (at SookunIRC "A" va Navy (at Sookunpoo):—A. R. Ritchell (Capt.), R.
Nazarin, Ali Khan, R. M. Omar,
the Lengue of Ireland with a
Run along with the ball, your timing is just right
then take foot over ball and deceive your opponent, an moment lift your foot to pretending to play the ball. allow the ball to run, and Try to make the ones you Adam Khan, A. S. Ramjahn, A. R. tasping shot after three minutes.

Abban, G. E. M. Truter, M. Lachandani, S. E. M. Bux, E. Minu, Hughes toed up an equaliser back again to drag it with your getawny is too quick for liner side of the foot. Make a his recovery Beorer: for Walker six minutes after inner side of the foot. Make a his recovery.

THE COMEDIAN !



Lean as if making off in a new direction, ...

use the outside of the foot to Run with the ball, at your flick the ball in the opposite

Run towards your opponent Break into sprint, and edge Run along with the balk your timing is just right to

WATCH IT DEAL

Wragg's star be Darius

By JAMES PARK

The observant may have noticed that since Harry Wragg became a trainer he has been making the same steady progress as when he was a jockey. ...

Wragg has built a covered

ride. It is situated in a paddock

a few yards from the stable and

has been used whenever it was

impossible to get on the heath.

It is about 200 yards round with

a thick layer of sand. Trotting

round for 20 minutes is sufficient

for the horses to work up a

Military Court has been kept

on the move round the covered

ride and everything will depend

on whether conditions permit

the trainer to put the finishing

touches. There is not much time

GRAND COLT

remains sound he may put the

fourr-year-old. He is now a grand

IMMORTAL was bought at

the December Sales and has pro-

gressed so well that he will be

given a chance to show what he

can do over longer distances

ROYAL MAID won five con-

secutive races last year and was

a rare morrey-spinner. A tall,

spare filly, she is no beauty. She

hops along and that is what

I do not think there is another

SOMBRERO has grown into a

fine big colt. He was lightly used

ns a two-year-old, but I saw

sufficient of him to satisfy that

he is possessed of ability.

Darius among the three-year-

than he has yet attempted.

TIGER KLOOF failed to get

for that to happen.

booking colt.

When he held a jockey's | sion that there was still room for licence he was always thinking improvement in his condition. how to get the best out of a Whether that can be brought home and also what tactics about will depend on the were most likely to bring about the downfall of the opposition. Now his work is in the stable and on- the heath and his skill is to be found in the well-being of the horses. They are all in robust health.

BLESSING

The star performer DARIUS, winner of the 2,000 Guineas. The programme mapped out for the first half of the season includes the March Stakes n! Newmarket, the Coronation Cup at Epsom, and the Eclipse

Stakes at Sandown. If the colt could complete that hat-trick, Wragg could be assured of his best sensori in stake

All arrangements had been mode for Darius to race in the U.S.A. in the winter, but he me in the money last year, but if he with a mishap in his box and could not go. That may have bulance on the right side as a been a blessing in disguise as the colt will turn out fresh and well for his engagements this season. He has wintered exceptionally

well and is now a fully matured model racehorse. With Never Say Die retired, I cannot see arrything in this country to challenge the supremacy of Darius up to a mile and a half His best distance may be a mile mid a quarter but he should stay the casy mile and a half of

the Coronation Cup. The staying GOLOVINE went off rather badly in the second half of finet season but is once more looking as bright as a new

MILITARY COURT will take his chance in the Lincolnshire A further sebering thought Handicap. In and out of the stable, he wears bandages on given any trouble for some time, The five-year-old is in good -(London Express Service) | heart but gave me the impres-

hooks the type to go on improving. OYSTER BAY met with an accident as a two-year-old and could not run. He was picked up cheaply as a yearling and could be well worth the money. HYPERION KID has been

slow to develop and, while he has thrived enormously, he not yet in possession of his full strength. It is in the second half of the season that he may come into his own and should make a

The dapper little CIAO paid are as follows: his way in his first season and should continue to do so. The Rozesnu (Rumania); 2, Fuji event of the Pan-American luckies MARGIANA is not look- Eguchi (Japan); 3, Linde Werti games today, ing her best and needs some (Austria); 4, Gizi Farkas (Hunsun on her back.

There are not so many twoyear-olds as last year, but most of them frame out well and show promise. I liked the look of gary). LUCERO, a well-balanced son of Soloneway. As the dam is by Fair Trial the cost should not be lacking in speed,

PERSIAN GOD is a halfbrother, by Persian Gulf, to Blue Sail and is taller and stands over more ground than his elder rclative.

Mr Charles Sweeny has distinct proposition in SEMI-NOLE, on altogether better sort than his brother Shirasteln.

International Tennis

Easy Passage For Drobny

Alexandria, Egypt, Mar. 17. Wimbledon Champion Maroslav Drobny of Egypt sailed confortably through his first round match in the international lawn tennis tournament here today

In the other first round matches, Gianni Merlo, Vialy, beat Charbit, Egypt, 6-2, 6-4; Mal Fox. United States, beat I. Adel, Egypt, 6-4, 2-6, 7-5; Sid Schwartz United States, beat M. Gohari, Egypt, 6-0, 6-3.

Hugh Stewart, United States, beat Escher, Egypt, 6-3, 6-3;

horse should





DARIUS will bid for an early hat-trick.

World Table Tennis

PLAYERS GAIN TOP RANKINGS

The Hague, Mar. 17. Japanese men table tennis teams top the rankings for the world table tennis championships here next month, the Dutch Organising Committee announced today.

The Committee posted the Japanese Teams as number one for both the Swaythling and Corbillon cup competitions, and ranked Ichiro Ogimura of Japan as the top individual player.

Pan-American Games

Mexico City, Mar. 17.

America's Wes Santee, the

sensational Kansas miler and

Argentina's Juan D. Miranda

raced to a spectacular dead

heat for first place in the pre-

liminaries of the 1,500 Metres

In the greatest finish of the

400 metres and came to the

tape at the same time with the

University Stadium raised a

crescendo of cheers when there

was only one lap to go, Santeo

The judges deliberated for

"It was a good race," said

many minutes before combine up

with the decision that it was a

Santce afterwards. The high

pititude didn't bother me at all.

I'll run a better race in the

ing champion Argentina has 102.

It was another great day for

and Miranda each tried to take

an inch as they sped along.

As the big crowd in the

record 4:08.4.

dead heat,

-United Press.

finals."

The only outsider to reach a | (Austria) and Dolinar (Yugoolds, but I should say the number one spot was one of the slavia) 4. Diana Rowe and majority are fairly certain to do | powerful Iron Curtain entries, Johnny Leach (England),-Rou-Angelica Rozeanu of Rumania. The Organising Committee

ennounced a record entry for the championships of 350 players from 35 countries when the deadline passed today. The games will be held here April Dead Heat In 16-24.

They reported 23 countries had entered teams for the Corbillon Cup, the women's team championships, and 33 for the Swaythling Cup for supremacy In men teams. In addition, kndividual players had entered from Canada and South Africa.United Press.

THE SEEDINGS The seeded players for the World Table Tennis Championships to be held from April 16-24

Women's Singles: 1, Angelica Yoshiko Tanake Games, the two men matched (Japan); 6, Rosalind Rowe (Eng- stride for stride through the last land): 7. Kikko Watanabe (Japan); 8, Eva Koczlan (Hun-

(Japan) 2. Ivan Ogimura Andreadis (Czechoslovakia) 3. Tage Flisberg (Sweden) 4. Richard Bergmann (England) 5. Ferenc Sido (Hungary) J. the lead. Neither would budge Yoshio Tomita (Japan) 7. Zarko Dolinar (Yugoslavia) 8. Rene Roothout (France). Men's Doubles: 1. Dolinar

and Villm Harangoze (Yugostavia) 2. Andreadis and Ladislay (Czechoslovakia) 3. Ogimura and Tomita (Japan) 4. Jozsef Koczian and Sido (Hungary). Women's Doubles: 1. Diana and Rosalind Rowe (England) 2. Rozeanu and Hona Zeller their point total to 335, defend-(Rumania) 3. Forkas and Miss

Kerenes (Hungary) 4. Fulie Eguchi md Watanabe (Japan). Mixed Doubles: Forkas (Hungary) and Andreadis (Czechoslovakia) 2. Rozernu (Rumania) and Sido (Hungary) 8, Wert!

Boundary' Street Athletic Meet

tween SCAA, Army, HRAAC/ and Allan Rice, are among 12 University, and RAF/Nevy/ from whom Jamaica will choose Police was provisionally set to their beam to meet the Australian be held at Boundary Street on tourists here on Saturday. April 17, at a meeting of the Executive Committee Hongkong Amateur Association at the Department yesterday.

The meeting also finalised all

TEST STARS TO **PLAY** Kingston, Jamaica, Mar. 17. Three West Indian Test stars. The Quadrangular Meet be- Frank Worrell, Alf Valentine

Valentine, however, is of the doubtful starter. He hurt his Athletic finger recently and may rest in Education order to be fit for the first Test of the series which, begins a Mr P. Donohue was in the week later.

Rue will captain Jamaica. Enthusiastic crowds made arrangments for the forth difficult for the Australians to This article and the illustrations Acobas, Egypt, best Marlinez, coming Colony Athletic Cham- practise in the nets yesterday. Arthur A. A. Rumishn (Capt.).

K. Leichand, A. Rashid Abas, Egypt, best Marlinez, Inter, a diving header by L. G. Ebert, Sherry Bucks, B. F. Chisais, R. A. Bux, A. R. Bux, A. B players as they walked back to bowl and while they padded up to but.—China Mail Special

Club De Macao **Programme**

The following fixtures have been arranged by local teams against Club de Macso this week-end.

TOMORROW Macao B' v Duich HC at Kings Park. Bully Off 2.30 p.m. Macso A. v. Hong Kong Detende Force at Kings Park. BUDY ON 4 P.M. SUNDAY

Macan By Combined Str-Off 2.50 p.th.

Miscar A V Combined Services A Manager A

A. G A. CRAWFORD'S FIVE STAR

FIJIANS TRIUMPH AGAIN AT THE EXPENSE OF COMBINED SERVICES

By "PAK LO"

Yesterday in front of the biggest crowd seen this season, the Fijians once again emerged victorious, when in their final game here, they narrowly overcame the Combined Services by 14 points (1 goal, 3 tries) to 3 points (1 penalty goal).

At half time the score was three all, which gives a pretty good indication of the standard of play, and it was only in the closing minutes of the game that the Fijians piled on six extra points.

while Lamb lowering l Thomas, both of whom were full back. cutstanding, and last but not! DEFENCE AND ATTACK Services back division.

First and foremost, who kept a very tight rein on Reid, the hocker, suddenly hit what might easily have develophis form and outhooked the et into a rough and tumble Of the Service backs Blincoe was over everyone in the line-outs the outstanding man until he gave his bucks a good service was injured and had to leave Thirdly, the fine covering of the the field, while King after a two wing forwards Coley and shaky start sottled down well at ;

Munster v Leinster At The Sports Ground

The Oirish Call the Flijans to a game. Due to "Football" then already full programme, -An' Shure It Was! Redunders to play the Finans in Singapore in the near future.

By B. GORRA

Shure now, an' did you see the game yester- from the scrum, and began to in the individual event should howday evening, an' weren't the bhoys in great form when Munster played Leinster at Oirish football, on St. Patrick's day. An' what better day for it? An' a grand affair it was.

Now you wouldn't be after wantin' me to tell you who won, for b'gob, I'm not sure meself. But if it wasn't the one side, why then it must've bin the other.

But whichever it was it was the wrong side of the Onish Radrodro missed. Then from the loightin' Orish who de- Channel, Oill just say that the servedly won. Admittedly they game is a mixture of soccer and started a three-quarters move. luid the luck of the Olrish on basketball, an' is the fornest "Laffey Water" just to celebrate, at that

Terret Twas a great day for l the Oirish, as the song says, an' after sayin' that if I've ever everyone was in fine fettle, for seen a better game than this, weren't there some pretty then me name ma't O'Flaherty, codecus watching the bheys an' I've never walked up kissing the Blarney Stone, O'Connell St though some spidpeen referred to it as bitting the dust

An' if the colleens weren't all from the Emerald Isle, shure. an' they were pretty enough in all faith, to have been truegreen Oirish, (Oil) take me Mooney shallelagh to the man who suggested true-orange would be al better description).

The game started with the O'Donnell, Hickey, Coady, Rig-Oursh throwing in, an' by far the [1 y, Burk., Nevin, best player on the field was attin' on the touchlines. Och now, you weren't after thinkin' I was meanin' myself, for if you were you wouldn't be far wrong.

ST PATRICK HIMSELF To be gitting back to the game itself. It was a fast and furious encounter, and the bhoys never looked like scoring until played a sparklin' game an' St at the third annual Athletic the posts. Radrodro converted, sary. Patrick himself, would of bin

proud of them. Pacidy in the Munster team turned out to be a broth of a bhoy as Shaw would've said, if he'd thought of it, setting a good pace and scoring some of the 17 points while Mick on the opposing team led his antagonists a merry jig as he tore

up an' down the field, The standard of play was not six seconds better than last Fijians repeated their tacties, what we would've seen in year's record, Dublin, but it was a fair game, un' Leinster, havin' the referce on their side won,

John Lee (87 ft. 91/2 ins.), For those of you who were

Kobus Not For Lincolnshire

Four things kept the scoring must go to Goldie, the referee, | shooting books made up for it by

Marshull,

Mently, McDonald, Consadine,

ATHLETIC

RECORDS

Technical College which was

held in brilliant sunshine at the

kong, yesterday.

Tony Seah (243 ft.).

and Long Jump.

NEW EEATURES

meeting were three new ladies'

New features of this years

South China Athletic Association

Darker, O'Connell,

McMahon,

-Caulfield,

Again the Fijians played an open game while the Services least, the good tackling of the Once again it was Rokona kept the ball light Although who shone in the Fijian team, this resulted in the three-This was undoubtedly the best both in defence and attack, quarters being starved to a cer-

game of the series, and praise | while Radrodro having lost his | tain extent, it at least stopped the Fijians scoring. It has been suggested that an open game would be more interesting and while this is true,

Outhooked and losing the

line-ouls, the Fijians did not

look quite so powerful as they

have done, and their service

from the scrum was rather weak

accorning two tries.

it needs 15 fast, fit men, which the Colony does not have, One final suppet of news At the danner afterwards in the Clubbouse, Sudd the captain of the New Zealand XV challenged

the Figure had to decline the offer, but arrangements his ness on Painte was first class, and theen made for the New The Services sticked off and attacked with Thomas leading ! the forwards in a fool tush to trien to be made through Oc Units the Fillans 25 There, the competitor who fails to fire in Figures scrambled the ball clear

Ravula took the ball down the wing and kicked ahend, but for a fatties to be made on the firing once, the bounce was against point B range Saturday March 19, the Fijlans and the bull went into touch on the Services 25

AWARDED PENALTY

mssed, 3-0

still three all.

Munster: Kelleher, Houston, Deignan, Coffey, Carney, Smith, The Fillans did most of the and pass by the latter sent Robous away, and even a last minute tackle by Sadd, failed to stop Rokous from scoring under stop Rokous from scoring under Robous away will be borrowed where necestary and the cost ment will be borrowed where necestary are desired away where necestary are desired away.

Sports meeting of the Hongkong 8-3. FINE INTERCEPTION

A fine interception by Coley Plain clother. Stadium, Caroline Hill, Hong- took play back into the Fijians half of the field. But the latter A new record was set up in were soon on the attack and in p.m. Dress; Overalls.

Other records were to fall in resulted in Radrodro scoring Dress: Multi. the Javelin Throw by Tony Seah well out Levula had an attempt (115 ft. 3 ins.), Discus Throw by at converting but failed, 14-3. With the Fijians keeping up unlucky enough to be born on Throwing the Cricket Ball by the pressure against an obviously tiring Services XV the game

finally ended. Teams: Filians: Balekana, Levula, events namely the 60 metres Rokoua, Builcokocoko, Baba, race, Throwing the Cricket Ball Gaivindi, Sawana, Nabaro. Bogitini, Radrodro, Ravula, The winner of the "Prin- Lotawa, Waqavolau.

over in London last night, Kobus
was made joint second favourite
at 100-8 for the Lincolnshire
Harkiteap.)—Router.

Wit 5. J. G. Burt, thanked burs
to the College Sports Fund.

Wit 5. J. G. Burt, thanked burs
Torrington, Lappage, Dyer,
Douglas, Kelly, Davies, Wake,
Parade MPG 5.30 p.m. Dress Clean
Working Dress, Overalls, Beref, Belt,
Shears, Bablish.

Black Roots.

Safe In The Arms Of The Goalic



Wood, the Leeds goalie saves from Dare of West Ham in the recent match between West Ham United v Leeds United at Upton Park. Looking on is Charles of Leeds United.

ROYAL H.K. DEFENCE FORCE ORDERS

Serial No. 11. Orders By Lieutenant Colonei O. F. Newton Dunn, Commandant

Royal Hongkong Defence Force. Dated Murch 15, 1955. Annual Review. The Communicatit congratulates everyone on the excellent Parade. The turnout and smart a predit to the Force Force Mine Meeting. The Force kai lan llanges on Saturda) and Other Ranks 6 pm. The following Muttay Parade Ground at 145 pm. Sunday March 19, 20, 1935 | En. are detailed to report at 11Q before Grounderew. Thursday March 19. Bitte steeting will be bent on the 5 30 pm Senior NCO+ 5 45 pm tries, (a) individual Championship, 5 36 p in Paying Officers HQ Unit 1955 HKAAF Hangar 6 p in Transa Entrance fee 50 cents b Ad enthe detail to which he has been allotted may fortest his right to fire Sgt I. M. Soura, C & R Unit Sgt : 0 45 a m later detail he will be fined the sum E Mckenzie Flg/Sqn of \$1 (b) HEWVF Champlonahip. Chew NCO 1/c Parade, Fit Sgt | Flying Programme, Thursday B F Pomeroy Approved absentees March 17, 1955 - All Pilota -- HQ 1955 at 2 p in Entry fee 50 cents (c) Michael Championalip, a Open to ex-members of the HKVDC who are not serving members of the Ground at 5 20 p to RHKDF, entries to be made on the firing point B range Saturday There was an infringement in South 19, 1955 at 2 p in Entry fee tice shoot for the RHKDF rifle meet. South 19, 1955 at 8,45 am. the line-out and the Finans ments with RIRDF armourer Team ing, will be held on March 18, 1955 were awarded a penuity which Events, a Cheyleanore Platoon The actual shoot is to take place on March 20, 1955 Trade Training, _ G C I. Trains tenin Programme For Saturday & Radar Operator & Fighter Controllers.

team equivalent b China Cup-Platoon team/equivalent c. Comthe half way line the Fijans mando Cup Company equivalent Each man in turn was well sunday March 19/20 1935. Program- Friday March 18, 1955-Radai Operatheir side, but the boys played a lovely game, an' after it was all over, they retired to the bar of downed a few parts of what some of the bhoys did, an' downed a few parts of pull your kg, or maybe I would be across field with a nice short are side, but the bar of the bhoys did, an' but the bar of the bar of the bhoys did, an' but the bar of the bar of the bhoys did, an' but the bar of the bar of the bar of the bhoys did, an' but the bar of the bhoys did, an' but the bar of the ba passing movement, in which the pin Programme Sunday Room, Murtay Parade Ground at forwards joined, and Levula March 20, 1955. L.M.G. Sighting 5.30 pm. Nursing Orderies. Wedgetting the ball whipped through to score. The conversion was Range—9 35-11 a.m. RHRDF Final (Half Day). Transport leaves Salis-(12) & Staff 'A' Range II am.-11.30 bury Road at 8 43 am. Fighter Within seconds the Services am Commando Cup. One Team Pletters. Tuesday March 22, 1933 -- Within seconds the Services heat -'A' Range-11 30 a.m.- | p.m. 'A' Watch SOC -9 a m. (Half Day). equalised, wheir about 35 yards Timn Break. Cheylesmore Final- Thursday March 24, 1955 'A' and out the Fijians were penalised A' Range-1 50 p.m -1 55 p.m. Offi-for offsile, and Annandale, took eers v Sgts-A' Range -1 55 p.m -2 less Operators Elementary. Friday p m China Cup -'A' Range -- 2 10 March 18, 1950-As detailed -Murray Boyle, the long kick and piaced the pm-4 pm Bide show. 8 Targets. Barracks-5.30 pm Friday March RIKDF 22 Rifle Club. - Both bull right between the uprights. 2 Peeping toms-4 Pool bulls-2 ball right between the uprights. 3 Feeding Arrangements. Box racks-5.30 p.m. Equipment Assis- the 7th Reand of the Colony Small-line 3 Feeding Arrangements. Box racks-5.30 p.m. Equipment Assis- the 7th Reand of the Colony Small-line 3 Feeding Arrangements. Box racks-5.30 p.m. Equipment Assis- the 7th Reand of the Colony Small-line 3 Feeding Arrangements. Despite many and varied attacks | Burch \$2,50. Saturday March 19, tants. Saturday March 19, tants. Saturday March 19. the Fillans could not break ipss. Personnel requiring tiffm make through the Services defence, and the score at half time was a soliday March 20, 1935. (a) HKAAF Hangar - Group 2 - 9 a.m. bulary 917 Tenni Captain to order from Adm Transport leaves Salisbury Road at Offi mumbers of meals required by 0.45 am. M.T. Section. Sunday their team members. (b) Individuals March 20, 1955-HKAAF Hangar A Events, Monthly Shoot. The first attacking in the second half, to order from Adm Offr by Friday Section 9 am (Full Day) Trans- Monthly Spoon Shoot will be held but it was not until 15 minutes March 18 4 Transport. Saturday port leaves Salisbury Road at 8 45 on Friday March 25, 1955 at 5 pm. had passed that they finally march 19 No transport will be am A T C Friday March 18, 1955 at the Force HQ Miniature Range. had passed that they finally scaled available to and from Star Ferry to scored again. About 25 yards out the Fijiana got the bail from the Fijiana got the bail from the Scrum, and Sawana, cut the Scrum, and Sawana, cut a.m., 8.40 a a.m. 8.40 a.m. 8.45 a.m., 9 a.m. -12 noon-8 p.m (Full Day). Sunday p.m. at the Force HQ Miniature and 9.15 a.m. 5. Dress: (a) Where March 20, 1955 - As detailed -Kai Tak Range Prize will be awarded for Bulicokocoko, who in turn passuniform is ordered in team events. Tower - 8 a.m -2 p.m. (Full Day), the various events. Members wished out to Levula. A fast run dress will be: Battle Dress, Berets, Sunday March 20, 1955—As detailed ing to invite Ladies please inform Boots, Anklets (Naval/Air Force - Kal Tak Tower -- 12 noon-6 p.m. Mr A A. Noronha c/o M.A. da Silva,

FORCE HEADQUARTERS

ini Platoon. - Tuesday Marca 22, 1935, HQ RHKDF 5,30 pm. Dress; Recce Platoon. - Thursday March W/T Procedure. Revision Parade HQ RHKDF 5.30 Artillery Battery. - Field Troop. the College Challenge Shield.
The time was 50.2 sees, which is six seconds better than last Entires.

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The time was 50.2 sees, which is six seconds better than last Entires. resulted in Radwards move 1955. Parade MPG 5.15 p.m. for BOC.

HONGKONG REGIMENT

RHQ. Drest: No. 3. Eqpt No. 1. B' Coy. No parade. 'C' Coy. Tuesfor RHQ. Dress: No. 3. Eqpt No. 1. 'D' Coy. Tuesday March 22. 1955. LMG Classification. RV S.C.P. Kowloon 8.30 a.m. for Kal Tak 'A' Range. Dress: No. 2 (Carry J/Hats). Eqpt No. 3 (Carry Overalls). Tre Handicap

Paris, Mar. 17.

M. Georges Ginter, the French racehorse owner, amounted to day that his above revolution of motive and the statement made yetcordor by Maurice Wallow, transfer and William of the Statement made yetcordor by Maurice Wallow, transfer and William of the Statement made yetcordor by Maurice Wallow, transfer and William of the Statement made yetcordor by Maurice Wallow, transfer and William of the Statement made yetcordor by Maurice Wallow, transfer and William of the Statement made yetcordor by Maurice Wallow, transfer and William of the Statement made yetcordor by Maurice Wallow, transfer and William of the Statement made yetcordor by Maurice Wallow, transfer and William of the Statement made yetcordor with the Wallow would run.

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Houghong Auxiliary Ale Force Transport leaves Murray Parade Pay Parade, - There will be a Pay Ground at 840 a m. Clerk P.A. Parade held on Tuesday March 22. Thursday March 17, 1955 11Q 1955 at HQ, Royal Hongkong De. RHKDF - 9 am (Full Day) Transfence Force, Happy Valley Ar cus- port leaves Sigring Parade Ground tomery units will be paid individue at 8 43 a m. Tuesday March 22, ally at the following time Officers 1935 HQ RHKDF Pay Parade 2 Fig Off G Graham C & il Unit port leaves Salisbury Road at 5 45 Fig Off J W Tendall DFM | Dim Saturday March 19, 1955 'A' Fig/Sqn Fig Off D Mottram Wit- Flight HKAAF Hangar - 2 pm nessing Officers. HQ Unit Fil/Lt Transport leaves Salisbury Road at T P Styles C & It Unit Fig Off 1 45 pm Sinday March 20, 1955-G Long Fig/Sqn Fig:Off G J | B' Flight HKAAF Hangar 9 a m Hell NCO I/c Parade, HQ Unit | Transport leaves Salisbury Road at

may sign as authorisation for an RHKDF. 5 45 pm Transport leaves other members of the HKAAP to Murray Parade Ground at 3 30 p.m. receive all montes on their behalf Saturday March 19, 1955- 'A' Flight Transport will leave Murray Parade : HKAAF Hangar 2 p.m Transport iraves Salisbury Hoad at 1 45 p.m. Sunday March 20, 1955 B' Flight -RURDE Rule Meeting. The prace HKAAF Hangar 9 a m. Transport

ARMY CORPS

Training, -- Monday March 21, 1955 Signals 'Il' Personnel us detailed pmude 5 15 pm MPG for HQLF Dress Uniform, Tuesday Murch 22. 24, 1955-First Aid personnel parade 15 pm MPG for HQ HHKDF Breas Civilian clothes. Friday March 25, 1935 -Signals 'A' Personnel patade 5 to pm MPG for HQLF Dress: Uniform (Sgd) G. H. CALVERT, Major for Commandant, RIKDF.

NOTICES

RHKDF .22 Riffle Club - Coming

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Members of the public are invited Training.—'A' Coy. Tuesday March nominate whom they consider to be Hongkong's 22, 1950, Pay Parade. 2" Mor Lease Footballer of the Year for the current season. It is a popularity poll organised by the China

day March 2, 1955. 22 shoot P1 Mail, and nomination coupons will be received until the closing date to be announced later.

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CIVIL AID SER VICES

No. 10. Orders by the Hon. C. E Terry, Commissioner, Civil Aid Services of March 18, 1055.

1.-issue of CA.S. Identity Cards. Pokfulain. C.A.S. Identity Cards are new available for insur to all members who were insued with Temporary Certificates of Identification at the time of their enrolment. These Identity Cards will be issued by the Staff Officer to the members concerned during normal office nours on production of the Tempor-

Any member who did not produce a photograph at the time of his ento reliment is required to bring a passport size photograph with him so that his card can be completed. IL Identity Cards to replace those that have been lost or have become p.m. disfigured will be issued at a later date. Netification regarding this replacement will be made in future 2.-Courses. The Commissioner

New Snooker Champion

London, Mar. 17.

Mourice Parkin, 27-year-old engineer fitter from Sheffield, became the new English amateur snooker champion last night.

In the final he beat Alfred Noian, a Newcastle male nurse, by 11 frames to seven. Noian won the title in 1950 but did not compete again until this year.—

China Mail Special.

Nav Bharat "B" v Sookuppots to King's Park 11 a.m. — Garation.

"B" at King's Park 11 a.m. — Garation.

"B" at King's Park 11 a.m. — Garation.

Charit. Tera. Frederick. Ullian.

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TO-DAY

Belilios Girls' School

Meeting at HKU Sports

Badminton Junior Mixed Division: YMCA v Smalley Cup Semi-final. Athletica

Boxing "Red Duster" Shield Match. HMNZS Kantere v 27 Har Regt. TO-MORROW

Div. 1: KMB v Kitchee (CH) 4.39 p m.; Navy v Sing Tao (Navy) 4.30 n.m.; Police v Kwong Wali (BS) 4,30 pm. Div. 2 "A": South China v Eastern (CII): Western v CAA (Navy); Police v Sing Tao (BS); RAF v Club (Skp). All matches at 3 p.m. Army v KMB (Skp) 4.30 Div. 2 "B": C & W v CMB: Tramways v Jardines; RAMC v Prisons. All matches at Happy Valley at 3 p.m.

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Nav Bharat Hockey

The following have been selected to represent Nav Bharat in their

lengue hockey fixtures on Sunday:
Nav Bharat "A" v Recrolo "A" at
Recrolo 3.30 p.m.:—Source, Harnam,
McCormack, Sarwan, Bhagat, Gurabux, Guroharan, Manjit, Mohinder,
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NOTICE

HONG KONG LAWN BOWLS ASSOCIATION

Notice is hereby given that TOLO the Annual General Meeting of the Hong Kong Lawn Bowls Association will be held in the Board Room of the South Taipo Kau Railway Station China Morning Post, Ltd. (by Pier to Tap Mun will comkind permission) on Friday, mence on the 20th March, 25th March, 1955 at 5.45 p.m. 1955.

- (1) To confirm minutes of ! Meeting.
- (2) Presentation of "Hong" Pairs Competition prizes. (3) Adoption of Balance
- Sheets and Accounts. (4) Election of Officers.
- (5) League entries.
- (6) Any other business.

R. B. MARSHALL. Secretary.

NOTICE

HONG KONG CLUB

HEREBY GIVEN that the 107th Yearly General Meeting of the Members of the Hong Kong Club will be held at the Club 4,45 p.m. Direct for Taipo House on Tuesday, 29th March 1955, at 5.30 p.m.

By Order of the Committee, K. W. KIRBY,

Secretary.

18th March 1955.

Harry

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Your cinema fare this weekend should be "THE GOOD DIE YOUNG" "ALONG CAME JONES"

NOTICE

HONGKONG ENGINEERING & CONSTRUCTION CO., LTD.

Notice to Shareholders Notice is hereby given that

the Twenty-ninth Ordinary Yearly Meeting of Shareholders of the Hongkong Engineering & Construction Co., Ltd. will be held at St. George's Building, Chater Road, 2nd floor, Hong Kong, on Tuesday, the 26th day of April, 1955, at 12 Noon, to receive the Directors' Report and the Statement of Accounts, to declare dividend and to transact the ordinary business of the Company.

The Share Transfer Books of the Company will be closed from the 4th April !? 26th April, 1955, both days inclusive.

> By Order of the Board, ERNEST SAHMET. Secretary

NOTICE

HONGKONG ENGINEERING & CONSTRUCTION CO., LTD.

NOTICE OF CALL

500,000 Partly paid up Shares of the nominal value of \$2.00 each

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Final Call of and the shares has been made by the Company, and that such Call will be payable to the Com-LP SETS Born Godounov, Eugene pany's Bankers, the Hongkong The Hong Kong, on or before 30th

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By Order of the Board, ERNEST SAHMET.

Secretary.

Hongkong, 17th Mar., 1955.

NOTICE

HARBOUR FERRY SERVICE

A Ferry Service between

The ferry will call at last Annual General various places on the southern shores of Tolo Harbour. The timetable and fares are as follows :--

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8.30 a.m. Via Tung Sam Ki, Lai Chi Chong, Shap Sze Heung and Ma On Shan for Taipo Kau Rallway Station Pier.

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TRIAL OF COLONIAL **POWERS**

Paris, Mar 17 The French Foreign Minister, M. Antoine Pinny, today told the Foreign Affairs Committee of the National Assembly he feared the Afro-Asiatic conference in Bandung next April 22 would turn into a "trial" of colonial powers.

He said the French Ambassador in Indknesia had already raised a "firm protest" against allowing observers from North African nationalist movements to attend the conference.-

IN the last war, when Britain Spain could prove the cornerand America were ready to launch the counter attack against the hostile forces that had overrun Europe, three sea routes. costly and hazardous seaborne It is true that most Americans

CAMPAGAS, 1840-3

JUNE 5-6, 1944 ...

LANDINGS, NOK 7-8, 1948

ALLIED LANDINGS IN SICILY

A ITALY JULY -SEPT. 1943 .

ALLIED MORTH AFRICAN

The landing craft went in on North African shores, They went in under gunfire from the enemy in Italy. They went in on the Normandy beachheads.

invasions were necessary.

How different might have been the course of war, how much swifter the victory, if behind the natural barrier of the Purenees, Allied strength could have accumulated for the assault!

But Spain was neutral then. Now the United States is finding the strategic foothold that the Allies so badly needed last time.

Behind her mountain frontier, Jordan. Spain could remain intact even if the rest of Europe days in Amman, were overrun by new in-

stone of eventual victory. and with Gibraltar and Spanish Morocco, she provides command of the Mediterranean

hate Franco's regime, but his unswerving hostility to Communism makes him an acceptable ally. That is why America is training officers of Spain's 400,000 strong Army. and why she is paying £ 122,000,000 in return for the naval supply base at Cadiz and the five airstrips she is building in the country.

KING FLIES TO MEET FIANCEE

Jerusalem, Mar. 17. King Hussein flew to Akaba Javier on the Red Gulf today to meet liant

The marriage date has not yet been announced.-United Press. pected to have acquired a basic 11.45. Then he returns to his

A PRINCE PREPARES FOR A THRONE

12-Hour Working Day And No Politics

Madrid, Mar. 17.

In a rambling ducal mansion overlooking Madrid's smart Castellana Avenue, a mansion with many American memories since it was the United States Embassy and Ambassadorial residence from 1931 to 1948, Prince Juan Carlos of Bourbon, the fair-haired, athletic, 17-year-old grandson of Alfonso XIII and the British-born Queen Ena, has now started studies aimed at preparing him to become King of Spain.

When the boy's father, Prince Juan of Bourbon, and Generalissimo Francisco Franco talked for nine hours before a log fire in a farm house in western Spain on December 29 last to prepare the way for a restoration of the Monarchy in Spain, they agreed that a twentieth century King had to be trained to face twentieth century conditions if the Monarchist institu-

tion were to survive.

Carlos has a 12-hour working | After that he will move on to at 12. day, for he hopes to complete the University and to a techni- At one o'clock, the morning in six months the normal two- | cal college. year study course for the entranco examination to Saragossa Central Military Academy, long road at the end of which and preceptor, the Duke de la the equivalent of Sandhurt in stands a throne. England, West Point in the United States, and Saint Cyr in Falangists discuss with some for being a stickler for disci-

ENTRANCE EXAMINATION

In June, he will take his entrance examination to Saragonsa, and if he passes, he will become just one of 600 "caballeros - cadeles" (gentleman-cadeta) learning to be army officers when the new term starts there in September.

Later, from |Saragossa fh the Ebro Valley he will move to Marin in green, damp Galicia severe cultural and physical Lopez Amo, and the Marquis on the Atlantic seaboard to tests. study as a naval officer. Then from the rain and mist

of Galicia he will move on still again to the desert-dry air of Murcia Province where the Air General Academy of San stunds in the bril-Mediterranean his flancee, Princess Dina, who shine, just 18 miles from in coming from Egypt to visit the famous naval base of Cartagena and where he will learn driver, which is at his disposal, Princess Dime will stay three the art of flying and air and drives to the Navai Prestrategy.

Thus, in four years, he is ex- of Chamartin to study until

For a start, Prince Juan army, navy and air training, home for a mathematics lesson

tic and social peace in Spain, his son's education and welfare. as General Franco believes it | Others of his tutors may also will, the life of Prince Juan be at lunch. These are Major Carlos is wrapped up in algebra, Emilio Garcia Conde of the Air trigonomotry, military history, Force, Lieutenant-Commander languages, and physical training. Alvaro Fontanales of the Navy. For to enter the Saragossa Major Joaquin Valenzuela of Academy, candidates must pass the Army, Professor Angel

START OF DAY Prince Juan Carlos's day begins when he is awakened at 7.30 a.m.

There follows physical training, a shower, breakfast and at ten minutes to nine he steps sun- into a small blue "Seat" car (a Spanish version of the Flat 1400) with a red-capped police paratory College in the suburb

studies end and he has a free At present, however, he is half hour until lunch, at 1.30 right at the beginning of this usually taken with his guardian Torre, a 67-year-old retired Monarchists and Army General with a reputation asperity the question of a re- pline, and who is also a grandee storation, and the bulk of the of Spain, a title granted to nation looks on from the side- Spain's highest nobles, and lines, but apparently disposed whom the boy's father, Prince to accept the return to a Juan, has appointed as his re-Monarchy if this ensures politi- presentative to be in charge of

of Mondejar, who tenches the Prince riding and sport in general.

RECREATION

At 2,30 comes the time of the day to which Juan Carlos most looks forward. He leaves in his car for a country-club known as the Club de Campo for a couple of hours devoted either to riding or golf lessons.

He jumps well under the expert vigilance of Major Valenzuela and his golf is improving steadily. He is also a good shot and several years ago took part in his first shoot.

At five o'clock, he has another class. Afternoon tea-in Spain known as "merienda" and usually comprising coffee and milk and buns-follows at 6.30. Then he studies until 9 p.m. He dines at 9.30 and must be

in bed by 11 p.m.

each week.

On Sunday, after hearing Mass in the small chapel of his residence, the Prince usually spends the day at the country home of friends who have children of his own age. This Sunday excursion is the only social life which the young Prince has. His younger brother, Alfonso, aged thirteen and bubbling with high spirits, who is at a Madrid boarding school, lunches with Juan Carlos onco

The greatest effort is made to keep Prince Juan Carles from becoming involved in anything which could be considered to be of a political nature. "No Politics" is the watchword of those about him. He had his brief moment of fame when he arrived by train from Lisbon and Monarchist supporters gathered on the platform to cheer him. Now he must study.

Each afternoon, sleek, elegant cars roll up to the Duke of Montellano's palace, where the Prince is living.

affairs, are shut. The visitors ring a bell at a sidedoor. A liveried porter admits thom into the garden and they walk across the gravel to the house.

VERY QUIET NOW

It is all very quiet now compared with the bustle and activity when it was a United States Embassy and well-known figures such as the Ambasesdors, Mr Charde Bowers and Mr Carlton Hayes lived there. Now, the main entrance is closed and shullered and so are most of the ground floor windows.

Today, visitors, having crossed the gravel courtyard, ring again at a small side door. A footman in green tunic, black trousers and white gloves leads them to a small ante-room to sign the fat book, now throe-quarters full of signatures of Madrid residents who have wished to express in this way their pleasure at the arrival of

the young Prince. When they have signed, they are bowed out again by the footman.

A member of the household explained: "As the Head of the Royal Family is not here, it would be incorrect for the young Prince to receive formal

Bo the Princo studying in a library on the second floor, and his sympathiers on the ground, floor never most. —Chine Mall

"WE'VE COME A VAST DISTANCE --WHAT! YOU ONLY



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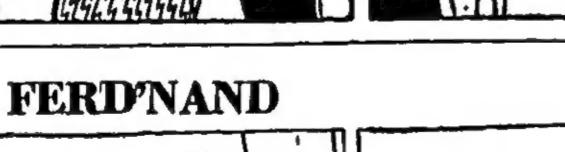




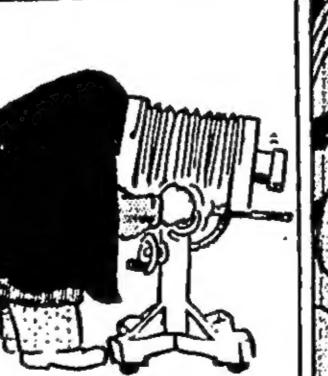
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TRADE and COMMERCE SECTION

STOCK MARKET

Quietest Session Of The Year

New York, Mar. 17. new merger candidates today enlivened the quietest stock trading session of the

with tricking at the lowest piece name last. Nov. 1 before the election boom got underway.

Near the close, however, steel charge spurted sharply scoring gains of as much as 3 to points in Bethlehen; 2 or more in Infinite, Wheeling and Almo and a point or more in US Steel, Sharon, and Republic Steel

Earlier, Bethichem and Youngstown Sheet and Tube, which closed I point higher, has been sold heavily as the Justice Department re emphasised opposition to their merger

Two other merger candidates: Sperry Corp., and Remington [Rand provided some fireworks with trading active enough to force suspension of dealings to Boly during the aftermoon.

SHARPLY HIGHER

Remngton opered on 11,000 shares, Speriv on 10,000 with both sharper higher following the announcement of a merger,

Sperry closed at \$50%, up 9. and Runnington at \$42%, off 1, They were Tuesday's most ac tive issues with Remnigton taking top spot

Rails were up 14 cents,

Sale for the day amounted to 2,200,000 shares, compared with 2,900,000 yesterday.

Of the issues traded today, 529 were higher, 379 lower,

A few oil shares moved widely One high-priced Superior Oil of California shimped 65 points to \$950, Houston Oil lost more than two

The New York Stock Exchange bond volume was \$2,-820,000.

The American Stock Exchange volume was 790,000 saares.

Dow-Jones closing averages

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NEW YORK Britain Losing Position As The

World No.1 Shipbuilder

PASSENGER VESSEL

Hamburg, Mar. 17. Britain is losing her unrivalled position as: "shipbuilder to the world." Struggling to beat,

her is Germany. This fact was brought home strongly to Britons—and Germans—a fortnight ago when down the skids of a Hamburg shippard slid a sleek new 10,000-ton passenger liner, the first passenger ship to be built in Germany since the war,

more has crept stendily closer

In 1950 Britain built 1,325,000

taken by building 963,000 tons.

BLUE STAR ORDER

Markets

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No 2 rubber per lb. April 8614-8034

NEW YORK

points lower with sales of 78

Dealers reported a dult situa-

31% cents a pound, nominal.

AMSTERDAM

closed today in guilders per

kilogram, CIF April as follows:

The market was quiet. Prices

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Singapore, Mar., 17

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SPEED

It is this-speed that has usade the German ship-building industry great. Simply through hard work and sweat Germany's shipyards, smouldering rubble id the wor's end, have become the world's biggest suppliers to tureign nutions and second biggest ship-makers in the world. And early the fastest at build-

As her shattered shipyards were rebuilt, making them the

World Cotton Markets

New York, Mar. 17. Cotton traders today un- builders. successfully tried to keep a previous two-day rully going.

Closing prices showed net World Rubber losses of 5 to 14 points. The market opened up 3 to 7 points. New Orleans closed off 8 to 9

"Technicians pointed fout that: the unexpected heavy products redemptions out of the Government_{er}oan strek, end fallate er a buying splurge in the textile market to excite more interest were the enuses of some recent

buyers to accept profits Worth Street reported sales (print cloth yarn fabrics, concommutat lat Wednesday, firm prices for delivery through the rest of the year.

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terests in the were	Exchang	e today
Month	Volume	Open Interest
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July	34,200	853,200
October	8 500	292,200
December	10,000	220,600
March	4.000	129,000
May	3,700	133 700
July	2,000	8,700
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H.K. Engineering And Construction Company

The Directors of the Hongkong Engineering and Construction Co., Ltd. announced that they will holders at the forthcoming Ordinary Yearly Meeting of Shareholders to be held on April 26, the payment of a dividend of 20 cents per share on fully paid shares and 10 cents per share on partly paid shares, all free of tax, in respect of the financial year ended December 31, 1954.

TODAY'S SHARE **PRICES**

(From Our Correspondent)

Business done on the Hongfain's proud shipbuilders to do tons of ships, Germany, 154,000 kong. Stock Exchange this tons last year Britain was morning amounted to \$888,410 then Germany had almost over- ing's transactions

> SHARES BUYERS SELLERS SALES More than half her new Nesels are for foreign nations. BANKS A third of Britain's output is Enet Asia And even British shipping insurances lines are buying from their goscheed old enemies -- simply be-50 125 M 4911 course the Germans can supply books, gre-K Wharf

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Encyclopaedia London - Singapore London, Mar. 17. cables and a lack of follow-up on yesterday's buying overturned prices on the terminal book world. But the appearance of the first edition succumbs to fears. tion in the spot market, with The Chambers of Commerce buyers becoming extra cautious. Manual should cause a big Spot No. 1 Rss were quoted at sigh of relief in the business

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SIMPLE LANGUAGE

gives him all the basic facts Thore was renewed buying normally need to know. And it does more. It tells The chief interest was

HONGKONG STOCK EXCHANGE

Up Go The Shares Again As

By A Special Correspondent

strains and stresses that have appeared on the Far kong Stock Exchange has frequently exhibited a appears to have developed an immunity to the pervading moods of gloom and foreboding which have gripped Asia in the wake of the recurrent crises.

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China has been a constant ful year ahead By Noon quotations and the morn- source of anxiety since the. Dancy Farms show an imundergone a prolonged period of sale at \$7.10 yesterday leaves

Communist China stands like a brooding Colossus, massive and unpredictable in the background. | price. And Hongkong is a tiny peninsula of hope and optimism petivity on rubber shores this on the very perimeter of this continent of terment and tension. To an extent—perhaps a large extent—its chief protection can be found in the prevailing belief C. Light (N) 13.90 14 1000 or 13.90 portant trading and industrial New York Sugar portant trading and industrial Telephone XD 31% 31% 4100 of 31% centre in this grea, irrespective 1000 g 3134 of the fortunes of its near and distant heighbours.

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The Colony, loo, is ready to take fresh encouragement at May every opportunity. It thrives July A new work of reference on hopes which it digests careis unlikely to excite the fully, rejecting the superficial and May the trumpery; it may languish Spot-(cents per ib, for Cuba) 3.22 occasionally but it never

In the weekly analyses of the Stock Exchange there is a re- Nov. flection of this confidence. The Mar. 5.37 Colony's business community, May Spot-(cents per lb. cif NY and the Slock Exchange were Here is a book that will make all too ready to take heart last obsolete a good many others on week at the Hongkong and the businessman's bookshelf. Shanghai Banking Corporation's Rightly described as a business annual report and its appraisal encyclopaedia, it combines in of the Far Eastern situation. one volume of over 700 pages This was the revitalising in-

NATURAL REACTION

and the reaction was natural.

reasonably low enough and yields sufficiently attractive to the week.

"When in doubt," It advises, sought at higher rates,
"consult your Chamber of Com- Telephones were alightly
marro."

The Buyers Return

In spite of all the political and economic Eastern scene in the post-war years, the Hongrather remarkable resilience. More recently it

and their prospects upper to

them about steady on the week

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is not safe shares to keep and

bre a sound investment at this

week and prices have risen in

sympathy with Singapore raw

Market

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closed unchanged to 1 point

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Havana trade reports said the

Domestic futures moved irre-

gularly on mixed dealings be-

tween trade interests, Futures:

Contract No. 4 (world)

Contract No. 6

Singapore

Stock Market

Brokers today quoted to fol-

Singapore, Mar. 18.

New York, Mar. 17.

material rates.

There has been slightly more

To the south, "tree" Indo-guarantee another very success-Geneva agreements were signed provement of 50 cents on the last year. Political instability week to close at \$22,40 has threatened to undermine the . It is rather remarkable to see remaining vestiges of democracy that Hongkong and Kowloon m that area. Bangkok watches Wharves appear to have shaken the muchinations of her northern off the gloom that descended on neighbour with apprehension them with the approuncement Terrorism continues that the dividend had been to blight the oconomic and passed. They stumped from political progress of Malaya, \$70 before the announcement to There are distint rumblings of a low of \$62 but they closed discontent in Indonesia where yesterday afternoon with the political and economic frame- 'unsatisfied buyers (at \$65. work of the young Republic has: Wheelocks continue quiet, A

Hongleong's awareness of this higher with 98 contracts. function serves as a form of l the besetting unxiety of a lower with sales of 165 contracts. troubled world. Yet this is not ito say that we are completely strength in company with the insular, that the protecting hide firm spot basis, is impendicable to outside forces, that we are insensitive to trends Cuban Sugar Institute had sold and developments around us. 100,000 tons of raws to Cuban Nor has this consciousness of refiners, and others at 3.20 cents purpose led to any smugness or a pound, fob. The Institute also complacency....or apathy. Nor released an estimate of 180,000

The Colony stands poised ready to seize the initiative the moment it presents itself.

Activity has been restrained on 'Change since the enhouncement of dividends; the shares rose up to the period of climax

lowing stock prices: British Borneo Petroleum. March 34.34 New York Foreign 50s, the Manual is especially this week, however, investors Consolidated Tin Smelters, useful to overseas businessmen. decided that shares were Ordinary 30s 9d In clear, simple language it enable them to place new orders. 716% cum, pref. about British industrial and inquiry which caused most commercial practices, finance counters to show some improved Malayan Breweries and taxation, import and export ment on their recent low levels. The exceptions were the heavier south British Insurance commercial law that he would stocks which lost fractionally on Straits Trading Straits Steamship Ordinary the reader where to go for in Hongkong Hotels and land information on subjects not issues. But utilities were also in specifically covered in day of demand and Trams, Lights, the book's seven sections. Electrics and Telephones were were with div.—China Mail Special.

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FRIDAY, MARCH 18, 1955.

JOHN CLARKE'S CASEBOOK

NARROW

that shuttle between Con- the money." tinental ports and

own. comes up for air or rests on his that they wouldn't find you?" one day he will work in a longrun ship, whose schedule will put decent intervals of weeks or months between ports of call, instead of days:

For although, while at sen, Steve is a steady enough worker; trouble seems to the in wait for him as soon as he sets Col ashore

If happened so again the other i:light

OVERLOADED

TIME evening had started quietly crough, and Steve set off with confidence to cross the calm seas that lie between the docks and King's Cross But almost as if out of habit he visited a number of perts of call the way - public-houses where he found friends and took on so much cargo in the shape of beer that he left the last with a dangerous list and his steering-gear hardly functioning. A policemun found him, in tow, and led him to the

station: Someone there recognised Steve "Ah, It's you," they said "We've been wondering where you'd got to There's that fine you should have paid last Nevember.

SAILING

IN the morning, at the Clerken- | Siberia. well court. Steve, a lean, tall man in a boller suit, and an old sports coat, pleaded guilty Siberian penneula of Kamchatka before:

"There is also a means lest. Davis, the nugistrate, "In con-

why the fine had not been paid, and of magnitude 6.8. "The trouble was, str," he said, linmingham

"When was that?" "Just after Christmas."

IN THE TUNNEL

and December in which to pay and could hit Hawati at 8 p.m. What were you carning?" "Between £7 and £8, sir,

magistrate asked.

"Where did you put in"" the degrees north 162 degrees eist magistrate asked.

STEVE'S job takes him "The Blackwall Tunnel," Seve answered, making it sound as though his ship doubled which sail the narrow between voyages with a 108 bus. waters round these islands, "The Blackwall Tunnel's quite the shabby, small freighters bandy for here," said the magistrate. "You could have brought

TIME TO DREAM

He works down in their page ORRECT," said Steve, cramped, stiffing stokeholds, and | U "I suppose you were in between watches, when he he ping you could disappear and day-dreaming He dreams that checked himself just in time, and grinned,

"Pay 20s, on each of the two charges," said the magistrate, or go to prison 14 days on each, concurrent.

"Ay, ay, sir," Steve said, and he shringed and winked and colled away to the cell—that would be his cabin for a fortnight, to dream some more about the really long sea voyage that experience told him be needed If he were to steer clear of further trouble.

Wave Warning Issued

Honolulu, Mar. 17. The US Navy at Pearl Harbour today warned all a high plateau overlooking ships in the Hawaiian area of a possible tidal wave after a seismograph here recorded "what appeared to be a area. carthquake'' ma jor

Straits from Alaska.

The California Institute of sir," said the gauler to Mr T F. Technology in Pasadena record-

"I salled from here r and to. The obsevatory at Barbers Point Naval Arr Station, Hawali. said the tidal wave from the undersea carthquake should have bit the Aleutian Islands at about 4 p.m. (0200 GMT Friday), It stanter. isald if the wave progressed at 66 DUT that means you had the expected intensity it should ultimately be obliged to fall into

(0300 GMT) and my keep, and I would have !! James Baden, setsmograph obestryer, said it was not positively. "Well, why didn't you?" the bond met that the quake would create a wave but the intensity "You see, before Christmas of the quakt indicated that the we was running to the Con- [Cdai wave would result, M tinent. It was a 'weekly' boat." Baden purpointed the shock at 53

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Turkey May SEAS Provide New For Britain

FROM DAVID BURK

Ankara, Mar. 17.

Britain is looking to Turkey for an alternative base to the Suez Canal Zone, I learn here authoritatively.

The main purpose of Sir Anthony Eden's postponed bunk, he falls, sometimes, to "Corr". Steve began, but Ankara visit was for secret preliminary talks thereon as a sequel to Britain's joining the Turco-Iraqi Pact.

Britain's signature is already agreed upon and the British envoy, Sir James Bowker, met the Turkish Premier and Foreign Minister tonight to discuss the treaty's final draft: An announcement will be made, I am told, by the end of this month in the three capitals --London, Ankara and Baghdad. Since the Sucz Treaty signed in October, British troops have been withdrawing from the zone. Middle East headquarters have been set up in Cyprus, but this small, politically troubled island, 40 miles from Turkey's coast, ins never been regarded as suitable for a full-scale military

DISADVANTAGES

Apart from size, it has all the disadvantages of islands. It vulnerable and apt to be cut off in wartime.

The base Britain would like in Turkey is an area near the small outheastern provincial lewre of Marden which stands on Turkey's castern ber lers with Russia, Persia, Iraq and Syria. Already several American-run and NATO air bases are in the

Britain's joining of the Turco-Iraqi Pact—America will follow in the next few weeks—will The quake was located on the strengthen this new but growing standard? Have you ever seen con cot for a Middle East deto having been drunk the night off Poloustrov across the Bering fence that already, through other alliances, links Turkey and iraq with Greece, Yugoslavla, Pakistan and NATO

With Anglo-American support, ed a "large distant" carthquake | Turkey and Iraq, having snatched nection with an unpaid time of at 4.16 p.m. today (0016 GMT) the initiative and leadership Friday) saying it was 4,000 from torpid but jealous Egypt, Steve was asked to explain miles in an unknown direction are busily and optimistically urging Persia, Lebanon, Jordan and Syria into their defence net-

> The Turks regard Lebanon and Jordan as ecitaintics, Persia as a promising outsider and Syria as a slow but hopeful

They are also sure Egypt will D the whole of November reach Midway Island at 7 p.m. line when she realises the alternative is complete isolation. -London Express Service.

HAVE BEEN WARNED

Moscow, Mor. 17. today issued a blunt warning to the time she had not fully redeficit at the end of 1955.

Benediktov added that he was giving farm officials 15 days to increase the output on their

Some 279 new State farms are being organised with 6,000,000 was a sad case, said he would hectares of arable land. Another 4,000,000 hectares are to be rendered arable this year. Thousands of specialists in mechanised farming will be sent to these areas and special schools

Posted To Reserve Of Officers

to drive agricultural tractors.-

France-Presse.

General Impressed By Parade

The smartness of a Chinese unit on parade this morning may lead to the enrolment of many more Chinese recruits in the local regular armed forces. General Sir Charles Loewen, C-in-C Far East Land Forces, promised this morning to consider the employment of many more Chinese. He had just inspected the Hongkong Chinese Training Unit at Lyemun, which gives a sixteen weeks' basic training to Chinese recruits enrolled in the regular forces for a five-year term, with the option of extension.

He saw three details parade, one at drill, one doing an useault course and apparatus Many assault course and apparatus training under PT Instructors, and one in the classrooms studying English.

When passing through a barrack room he turned delightedly to a member of the press and exclaimed "How's that for lanything like that?"

"GOOD FEELING" On leaving the unit he said to the Commanding Officer Major A.E. Peasley of the Middlesex Regt "I get a good feeling out of this unit."

Major Peasley then asked the C-in-C if Chinese recruits could not be given a much more prominent part to play. They were extremely keen, he said, and liked the work.

The General promised to consider it and admitted that he was very impressed with the stendard of the unit.

Infanticide Charge

A 25-year-old woman, Tam Li-ching, of 2 Kwai Wah Lane, ground floor, appeared on indictment before Mr Justice J. R Gregg at the Criminal Sessions this morning, charged with infantleide.

The particulars in the charge alleged that accused caused the death of her infant daughter, Chan Mei-fong, by strangling The new Minister of Soviet her with a piece of tape on State Farms, Ivan Benediktov. October 23 last year, but that at all farm directors under his covered from the effects of charge that they will be pro- child-birth and by reason theresecuted if their farms are in of the balance of her mind was disturbed.

Accused pleaded not guilty. His Lordship asked Mr Desdraw up measures that would mond Mayne, Crown Counsel, what was the Prosecution's attitude to the case.

> Mr Mayne, remarking that consider the matter. Accused was remanded to Monday for trial

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6. Time Signal and Programme Summary; 6.03. Chikiren's Half Hour presented by Joan and Valerie. Talk on Souting (Studio); 6.30. Popular Song Parade; 6.59. Weather Report; 7. Time Signal. World News (London T. Time Signal. Of Officers

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Hammock For Monkey

Appointments Gazetted

Mr B. C. K. Hawkins, Cadet Officer, Class I, has been appointed Secretary for Chinese Affairs, it was announced in the Government Gazette today. Mr Hawkins succeeds Mr R. R. Todd who has left the Colony

on retirement. Mr Q. A. A. Macfadyen has been appointed Commissioner of Labour, vice Mr Hawkins, while Mr P. C. M. Sedgwick has

taken Mr Macfadyen's post as Deputy Commissioner of Labour H.E. the Governor has approved the appointments of Mi Macfadyen as Commissioner of Mines, vice Mr Hawkins, and Mr Sedgwick as Deputy Commissioner of Mines, vice Mr Macfadyen,

ACTING DEPUTY DCA

today were: Mr O. F. Hamilton,

Other appointments gazetted

Airport Manager, to be Acting Deputy Director of Civil Aviation; Mr A. G. Crook, Deputy | The Postmaster General, to be Acting Postmaster General during the absence of Mr Saville; Dr G. Graham-Cumming to be Acting Deputy Director of Medical and Health Services, vice Dr Uttley who is on leave prior to retirement; Dr Teng Pin - hui Deputy Director of Health Services, vice Dr Graham Cumming; Miss Elleen O'Connell to be Nursing Sister (on probation); Mr D.R. Holmes, Cadet Officer, Class II, to be Cadet Officer Class I; Mr S.T. Kidd to be Assistant Secretary, Colonia Secretariat; Mr R.J.C. Howes to be Deputy Colonial Secretary, vice Mr Burgess; Mr D. C. Barty to act as Establishment Officer; Dr Cheung King-ho to be Acting Senior Health Officer, vice Dr Teng Pin-hul; Mr A.P. Richard son to be District Officer, Un Long, vice Mr Wilson; Mr W.'V Dickinson to be Assistant Direc-

tor of Commerce and Industry; Mr S.G. Dark to be Assistant Cashier, Kowloon Sub-Treasury. It was notified that Mr S.T.H Stewart, Sub-Inspector of Police, ceased to act as Assistant Superintendent of Police on proceeding on leave; and that Mr Watt Hol-kee, Education Officer ceased to act as Senior Education Officer on resumption of

duty by Mr Burt.

hot water bottle is not animai equipment But when it is cold enough animals have to seek an alternative, and Britain's cold snap has fostered some odd friendships at the London Zoo. "Teddy" a two-tocd sloth has een an attraction at the Rodent House for seven years. His companions are three monkeys. But until the cold weather Teddy had always been a Lone Ranger, hanging from his branch and sleeping upside down. Now, however, the tiny monkeys have discovered that his "tummy" makes a fine warm bed and Teddy's popularity has soared. He has had to put up with them jumping on and off, quarrelling for the best spot and generally getting up to "monkey business". Teddy has accepted the situation quite unconcernedly. Perhaps he is too slothful to do anything

Diplomats Aboard

about it. - London Express.

Foreign Service personnel companied by their wives and children were among the passengers who arrived here in the ss President Wilson from San Francisco this morning en route ing, unlawful possession, recreational visit. He took part to various countries.

They included Mr Francis J. and robbery with aggravation, the Pacific phase of the war. Galbraith, new Consul for Medan, Sumatra, who was formerly with the American Embassy in Djakarta three years ago. He was accompanied by

his wife and two children. Others were Mr Robert Magill who is joining the American Embassy in Bangkok as head of the political section, and Mrs Magili and three children; Mr Benjamin Fleck, Vice-Consul for Madras, India, and Mrs Fleck and son; Mr H. B. O'Neill, of the JSIS, Taipei; Mr Robert M. Beers, of the USIS, en route to Bangkok; Mrs Mary A. Kearney, en route to join her husband who is an attache of the American Embassy in Taipel. Returning to the United States from Manila on transfer were

Mr M.J. Spear, of the American Embassy in Manila, his wife and two children; Mr J.R. Stewart, of the US Veteran, Ad-

15 Years And Cane For "Dangerous Character"

Sentences totalling 15 years' hard labour was passed by Mr Justice J. R. Gregg at the Criminal Sessions this morning on Chan Hon-chuen, 26, unemployed, who appeared on two separate indictments involving four charges of robbery with aggravation. The Judge also ordered accused to receive 12 strokes of the cane.

The accused, described by His Lordship as a dangerous character, pleaded guilty.

The first indictment involved He had only left prison, after three counts. They were (1) serving his last sentence, in that accused robbed Mr Stanley | September last year. Alfred Broadbridge, schoo'- Asked if he had anything to master, of a eigarette lighter, a 'say in miligation, accused said cigarette case, a wrist watch a he realised be was guilty of the gaberdine overcoat, a scarf, a foffences and asked the Court to pair of speciacles, a bunch of assist his aged mother in obkeys and \$300 on December !4 | taining a hawker's licence, as last; (2) that he robbed Mr Doo there was nobody to care for her. Lucn-hee of 152 Carpenter Road, of a wrist watch and \$32 and Mrs Elsie Wong Doo of \$120 | cused to 10 years' hard labour on December 5 last; and (3) and 12 strokes of the cane on that he robbed Mrs Lucy Chu, the first count, to 10 years' hard of the Medical Department of a labour on the second count, and wrist watch and \$16 on Decem- to five years' hard labour on ber 11 last,

In each count accused was concurrently. alleged to have been armed with an imitation revolver.

POINTED REVOLVER

Mr Desmond Mayne, Crown on a further charge of robbery Counsel, said that Mr Broad- with aggravation. The two were bridge was in his car, parked accused of robbing a woman, behind the Kowloon Post Office. Pok Shi-kuen, of a wrist watch, 14 when accused boarded the November 12 last car, pointed a revolver at complainant and told him not to move or he would be killed. He then drove the car to a lonely spot where he robbed complainant of the articles and money mentioned in the change.

Regarding the second count, Crown Counsel said accused Road when she was held up by entered a car in which were Mr two men, one of whom was Doo and his wife at 6 p.m. on December 5. He pointed a revolver at them and drove the report of the robbery. The car a short distance before he robbers were alleged to have dropped Mr Doo. Accused continued in the car with Mrs Doo and we will kill you if you do." and before he left he threatened | When accused was subsequently that if a report was made to the Police he would at some future

date attack Mr Doo's family. said accused boarded a car in tence of five years' hard labour which were Mrs Chu and her on accused and ordered this to three children at 10 p.m. on take effect on the expiration of December 11. He pointed a gun the other sentences, forced Mrs Chu to re-enter the imitation revolver. vehicle. He then robbed her and made certain threats as to what would happen to complainant and her children if a report was made to the Police. It was after accused's arrest

that he was found to be in possession of an imitation revolver. UNPLEASANT THREATS A group of United States made against the women and returning home after completing children of injury to them if a world tour. they should report to the Police.

about 11.50 p.m. on December a fountain pen and \$500 on TO STAND TRIAL Accused pleaded guilty but Chan Chi-kau denied the offence and was remanded for trial. Mr Mayne said the com-

His Lordship sentenced ac-

the third count, the terms to run

Accused then faced the Court,

logether with another man.

Chan Chi-kau, alias Kau Tsai,

plainant was in a car in Queen's amed with a dagger. She was robbed and told not to make a sald: "We know where you live arrested he was identified by complainant as one of the men who had robbed her.

In the third case, Mr Mayne | Mr Justice Gregg passed sen-

at them but Mrs Chu managed! His Lordship ordered restituto get out of the car. Accused tion of property recovered to then threatened to shoot the their respective owners and also children inside the car and so ordered confiscation of the

Admiral On A World Tour

Among the passengers who arrived here this morning in the 63 President Wilson from Manila Mr Mayne stressed that one was rotired American Rearof the more unpleasant features Admiral W. H. Brereton, of of the case were the threats Bridgeport, Connecticut, who is

During the last war Admiral Accused, said Crown Counsel, Brereton once had command of had previous convictions, dating the USS Estee, the amphibious back to 1947, for larceny, loiter- force flagship now in port on a breaches of expulsion orders in many landing operations in

SIDE GLANCES By Galbraith



"I'm outting off this trade-mark---they'll feet snugger if they think I made it by hand!